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WILL DISCARD UNIFORMS

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Categorical denial by Secretary Lansing late today was the official answer to persistent reports that the American troops might be withdrawn from Mexico shortly regardless of developments in the hunt for Villa. Both Mr. Lansing and Secretary Baker of the war department indicated that there was no present intention of changing the original orders given General Funston.

News from the border that a train load of supplies shipped by private grms had left Juarez today for Casas Grandes and Pearson where they will be available to General Pershing caused satisfaction here. Although the army authorities were not the actual shippers, it was believed the practical result would be the same.

Even without further action by, or concessions from Carranza, such that railways, officials think, may meet the need of the United States without causing embarrassment to the de facto government.

Motor Lines Principal Artery.
Secretary Baker indicated today that in the present status of the Mexican campaign the motor truck lines from Columbus are to be the principal artery for supplies, with whatever use may be gained from the railways as merely supplementary.

Interest in political questions affecting the Mexican situation was renewed by receipt at the state department of correspondence between Horst Von der Goltz, alleged German spy and aid of Captain Von Yaben, the former German military attaché. It was understood some of the correspondence submitted by the British government dealt with activities of Von Der Goltz in Mexico.

Official attention also was given to the reported revolution of Felix Diaz in southern Mexico. Information of the department of justice locating Diaz in Mexico has been laid before the state department. The latter also has unconfirmed reports that Diaz is securing both men and supplies from Guatemala.

Extra Clothing Is Forwarded.
The only dispatch received today from General Funston was regarding distribution of recent army recruits among the border patrol. There was no additional light thrown on General Pershing's campaign.

The war department was also without confirmation of border reports that the troops in Mexico were undergoing great hardships from lack of clothing, shoes and horses. Army officers explained that the soldiers were supplied with only necessary clothing for the march and that probably their shoes had worn out quickly, due to the rough country. It was stated that extra shoes allotted every soldier had been forwarded from Columbus and also extra clothing, especially overcoats for the mountain campaign.

Reports from the border that through loss of horses, many cavalymen were without mounts had not reached the department. It was authoritatively stated there that while the loss of horses was undoubtedly considerable, as expected it was not believed it had reached such proportions as to cause dismounting of any large number of troopers.

Indians to Start on Trail.
Columbus, N. M., April 6.—Encamped in little brown army tents, twenty Apache Indian scouts tonight were preparing to start tomorrow for General Pershing's headquarters at San Geromino ranch to take up the trail of Francisco Villa. With the arrival of their wiry mountain ponies they will cross the border for the trip thru the desert to the mountains of Guerrero.

Only the arrival of Peaches, described as premier scout and trailer of the Apaches, was needed to complete their happiness in the prospect of taking the warpath again after more than thirty years of civilization, according to their interpreter.

Peaches was in the mountains and word did not reach him in time to start with the others from the White Mountain Apache reservation in Arizona. However, the men said that Peaches probably is riding hard in an attempt to reach Columbus before the border is crossed.

Thirty years ago four of the twenty

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WILL HOLD SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION FOR ILLINOIS INFANTRY OFFICERS

Regular Army Officers Will Act as
Instructors—Practice Hike for the
Cavalry Will Begin Some Time in
July

Springfield, Ill., April 6.—The first infantry officers school of instruction ever held in Illinois is to be held at Fort Sheridan the week of July 9 to 16, according to an announcement today by Adjutant General Frank Dickson.

Regular army officers will act as instructors and the school will be, in effect, a week of intensive training for officers. Beginning July 16 the First, Seventh, Second, Third and Sixth regiments of the Illinois National Guard will go to Fort Sheridan for their two weeks tour of duty in camp. The regiments will go in the order named. The Signal Corps will go to Fort Sheridan with one of the infantry regiments. The Fourth, Fifth and Eighth infantry regiments will go into camp here at Camp Lincoln beginning August 20, in the order named.

A practice hike by the First Cavalry will begin some time in the early part of July, the exact date not having been determined upon. It is believed the troopers will be taken up into the Fox Lake region.

The field hospital corps and artillery organizations will go to join camp, which will include similar organizations from other states, at Sparta, Wis. The Engineer Corps, if present plans are completed, will go to a similar camp at Belvoir Tract, Va., near Washington.

STATE COMPLETES CASE AGAINST FORMER SENATOR LORIMER

CHICAGO, April 6.—The state's case against former Senator William Lorimer, charged with conspiracy and embezzlement in connection with the failure of the LaSalle Street Trust & Savings Bank, of which he was president was completed today.

Counsel for the state and for the defense then conferred and as a result agreed to the dismissal of 18 counts of the conspiracy indictment, leaving eleven standing and leaving one each standing in the two embezzlement charges.

Argument then began on the motion of the defense for the dismissal of eight additional counts in the conspiracy indictment. It will be continued tomorrow.

ELGIN MAN VOLUNTEERS FOR SERVICE IN MEXICO AS PRIVATE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 6.—The first letter from a man volunteering for service in Mexico as a private was received today at the office of Adjutant General Frank Dickson. It was from J. B. Caughey of Elgin, Ill.

Commenting on a wave of patriotism which, he said, appeared to be sweeping over the country and the numerous volunteer regiments which are being organized on paper, Mr. Caughey said, "I also notice that these regiments appear to be long on officers and short on privates, so I hasten to offer my services as a private in any of these regiments that has a full quota of officers."

According to Col. Richings J. Shand, Mr. Caughey served as a major of volunteers during the Spanish-American war and has held a commission in the regular army.

SUPREME COURT DENIES RE-HEARINGS IN BANK CASE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 6.—The supreme court today denied re-hearings in the case of the people on the relation of Attorney General Lucey against the Adams State bank of Chicago and the Metropolitan State bank of Chicago. Involved in the case was the right of one state bank to organize in territory contiguous to Chicago with small capital stock and then to move into Chicago without increasing their capital stock to \$200,000 which is the minimum capital stock provided by law of any state bank in Chicago.

MAKE ARREST ON CHARGE OF CHALLENGING TO DUEL

Boston, April 6.—For the first time in many years an arrest was made in this city today on the charge of challenging to a duel. Xenophon Xanthopoulos was taken into custody on the complaint that he had sent George Iatropoulos a challenge to fight with pistols in Franklin Park to settle a rivalry for the favor of a woman of the Greek colony.

Iatropoulos declined the issue and turned the letter over to the police.

RETURN FIFTEEN INDICTMENTS

Elyria, O., April 6.—Fifteen secret indictments against looters who robbed victims at the scene of the Amherst wrecks were returned today. Only \$11 in cash was recovered from the wreck in which twenty eight were killed and forty injured. No jewelry was turned over to the authorities by the rescuers.

CHARLES SHUMAN DIES.

Decatur, Ill., April 6.—Charles Shuman, president of the First National bank in Sullivan, Ill., and father of Irving Shuman of Chicago, died at 6 o'clock this afternoon at a hospital in St. Louis.

He was 73 years old and was a graduate of McKendree college, Lebanon, Ill.

WILL MAKE EFFORT TO ARBITRATE MILK STRIKE

DEALERS READY TO TALK THINGS
OVER WITH PRODUCERS

Invitation Is Left Producers to Confer
With Dealers in Dr. Robertson's
Office This Morning—Borden
Company Seeks Injunction.

Chicago, April 6.—An effort to arbitrate the milk strike will be made tomorrow, it was stated tonight by Dr. John Dill Robertson, commissioner of health. The announcement came after a conference between the commissioner and representatives of the three largest distributing companies.

Word was sent to the headquarters of the Milk Producers' association to the effect that the dealers are ready "to talk things over" and an invitation was left for the producers to confer with the dealers in Dr. Robertson's office tomorrow.

Borden's Condensed Milk company today filed a bill in the United States district court asking for an injunction restraining members of the Milk Producers' association from interfering with the company's contracts for the delivery of milk at various plants in the vicinity of Chicago.

The company in its bill states that 80 per cent of its milk is obtained from 2,420 dairymen, who are members of the association which has declared a strike against Chicago dealers who have refused to grant the demand of an increase from \$1.32 1/2 cents to \$1.55 per hundred pounds for milk during the summer months.

The petition states that members of the association have committed acts of violence at Hebron, Marengo, Sutton and Elgin, Ill., shipping stations and asks that the federal court restrain the dairymen from a repetition of the acts. The company declares that it has been compelled to close four of its bottling plants and is sustaining a loss of \$3,000 a day as a result of the milk strike.

Judge Landis will hear arguments on the bill for injunction next Saturday morning.

Chicago is confronted by a serious shortage in milk as a result of the dairymen's strike. Today the big dealers admitted that they were getting about half of their usual supply and had found it necessary to limit their deliveries to private families by cutting off stores and ice cream manufacturers and others who buy in wholesale quantities.

Three car loads of milk were received today from Lyons Falls, N. Y., by one of the large retailers. Another shipment was received from a point 200 miles from Chicago.

Dairymen at Palatine, Ill., who have been shipping 30,000 pounds of milk daily to the Chicago market today joined the ranks of the Milk Producers association.

COMMITTEE ON APPEALS AND GRIEVANCES MAKES REPORT

PEORIA, Ill., April 6.—The report of the committee on appeals and grievances occupied the greater part of the day at the convention of the Illinois division of the United Mine Workers of America. Many less important matters were settled and the case of Pietro Nigra, referred back to the district convention by the International Union, was before the convention at adjournment.

Nigra was formerly a check weighman at the Pawnee, Ill., mine. The mine operators closed the mine following a dispute recently over the weighing of coal and a short time afterwards the Italian was discharged. State officials took up the case, referred it to the international officers who after considerable debate sent the matter back to the convention. The claim now before the convention is for reinstatement and compensation for the time Nigra has been idle.

The case will be disposed of tomorrow morning.

MORNING PAPERS ANNOUNCE RESIGNATION OF LORD MONTAGU

LONDON, April 7.—The resignation of Lord Montagu as a member of the joint naval and military board in control of the aerial service is announced by the morning newspapers. The resignation of the Earl of Derby as chairman of the board was announced by the Evening Standard yesterday afternoon. According to the newspapers Lord Montagu like the Earl of Derby is dissatisfied with the limited powers of the aerial service board. It is said that both the Earl of Derby and Lord Montagu wanted the centralization and co-ordination of the air services in a single department. The newspapers declare that the resignations of the Earl of Derby and Lord Montagu have not yet been accepted and that there is no confirmation of the statement made by the Evening Standard that the chairmanship of the committee had been offered to Earl Curzon.

TO PROCEED IMMEDIATELY WITH INVESTIGATION.

Chicago, April 6.—The finance committee voted today to proceed immediately into the affairs of the municipal tuberculosis sanitarium. The Women's City Club, the City Club, the Committee of One Hundred and Civil Service Reform association will be invited to sit in an advisory capacity. Other organizations may also be invited to participate.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

DECATUR, Ill.—Because his wife refused to live with him any longer, James H. Miller of this city shot and instantly killed her and then committed suicide.

DES MOINES, Ia.—Bonds to the amount of \$200,000 will be issued to cover the amount of this city's indebtedness.

DECATUR, Ill.—Joseph Catlin of Springfield elected captain of the James Millikin University basketball team for next season.

WINSTON SALEM, N. C.—As a measure of precaution of the spread of scarlet fever, all schools and churches are closed for a period of twelve days by order of the mayor. Several cases of the disease have been reported within the past few days.

SEATTLE, Wash.—The bodies of Mrs. Corinne Wheeler, 76 years old and Mrs. Kate E. Swift, aged 55, were found in their home here by H. S. King, their nephew. The heads of both women had been crushed and \$3,000 supposed to have been hidden in the house was missing, he reported to the police.

TUCSON, Ariz.—Three United States citizens and one Spaniard were killed yesterday by Mexican bandits nine miles south of Rosario, Sonora, Mexico, according to advices received at the local offices of the Southern Pacific railroad company from Mazatlan.

CHICAGO, April 6.—August Deutschmann, a violinist was looked for murder on a charge of killing Mrs. Agnes Middleton, a widow, who was found slain in bed yesterday. Deutschmann was a roomer in the same flat.

QUINCY, Ill.—No trace has been found of Arthur Petty and John Hampton, two Canton, Mo., fishermen who left Canton in a launch in a snowstorm a week ago last Monday. It is believed the men were drowned.

SAN FRANCISCO.—The first class decoration of the Sacred Treasure was conferred here on President Charles C. Moore of the Panama Pacific International Exposition by Heiichi Yamasaki, acting consul general for Japan in San Francisco on behalf of the Emperor Yoshihito.

DETECTIVES SEARCH HILLS FOR TRACE OF TWO BANK ROBBERS

CANNONBURG, Pa., April 6.—Detectives searched the hills tonight in the vicinity of Houston, one mile west of here for trace of the two men who today robbed the First National Bank of Houston of \$15,000 and escaped in an automobile. According to county authorities, no trace of them has been found.

Shortly after noon the two men entered the bank and one laid a piece of paper in front of the cashier, who was the only employee in the bank. On the paper was written "make a move and you will be shot."

While one of the men guarded the cashier, the other went to the vault and took about \$15,000 in bills, leaving \$2,000 in gold and silver untouched. They escaped in an automobile.

FIND SCHULLY GUILTY.

Minneapolis, April 6.—"Kid" Schully, arrested at Hot Springs, Ark., following a sensational story by the young daughter of a Minneapolis minister before the grand jury which is investigating vice conditions here, was found guilty tonight of committing an offense against a young girl. Schully who is blind, swooned and fell to the floor when the verdict was read. His wife also fainted and fell beside him. Sentence will be pronounced later.

DEMAND SEARCH AND SEIZURE LAW.

Joliet, Ill., April 6.—Delegates to the Anti-Saloon League assembly here adopted resolutions tonight demanding that the next legislature pass a search and seizure law. The assembly also went on record as favoring the passage of a county option law and residence district option law. Delegates were present from Cook, Lake, DuPage, Kane, Kendall, LaSalle, Grundy, Will, Kankakee and Iroquois counties.

MUST SHUN ALCOHOL.

New York, April 6.—If Americans hope to compete successfully with the men of other nations after the war, they must shun alcohol, according to C. E. A. Winslow, professor of public health at Yale university who addressed the New York academy.

HARKER IS ACQUITTED.

Cairo, Ill., April 6.—Oliver A. Harker, former cashier of the Johnston City National bank, was acquitted of a charge of taking the bank's money for his own use in the United States circuit court here today. He was found guilty at the last term of court in Danville, but obtained a new trial.

MILLER AND CONNOR TIED.

Springfield, Ill., April 16.—O. R. Miller of Decatur and A. C. Connor of this city, both amateurs tied for first place in the shoot of the Illinois Gun club with headquarters here in the contest which ended today. The score was not given out. Professional trap shooters will go to Auburn tomorrow for a shoot.

STUDY REPORTS OF NAVAL ATTACHES

WILSON, HOUSE AND MEMBERS OF
CABINET HOLD CONFERENCES

American Attaches' Reports are Regarded as Virtually Conclusive
Proof that Sussex was Attacked in Violation of Assurances.

Washington, April 6.—Reports of American naval attaches saying metal fragments found on the channel steamer Sussex bore distinctive markings showing them to be parts of a German torpedo and despatches telling of scores of submarine attacks on neutral and other unarmed merchant ships within the last two weeks, were studied at conferences today between President Wilson, Col. E. M. House and members of the cabinet.

The attaches' reports are regarded here as virtually conclusive proof that the Sussex, while carrying twenty five American citizens was attacked in violation of solemn and reiterated assurances given the United States by Germany. With this fact apparently established, it is generally conceded that the United States is confronted by a situation more grave than any which has arisen since the outbreak of the war.

It was said authoritatively again, however, tonight, that no definite step will be taken by the American government until Germany has replied to informal inquiries submitted by Ambassador Gerard in the cases of the Sussex, Englishman, Manchester Engineer and Eagle Point. It was declared that word from Berlin was being awaited not so much because information as to what has happened is wanted, but to give Germany an opportunity to present her version and to say what will be done about it.

In view of the evidence collected, it is confidently believed in many quarters that Germany will admit the attack on the Sussex and unofficial despatches from Berlin have indicated that such admission undoubtedly will be accompanied by disavowal and offer of reparation.

Acceptance of such a response by the United States would depend upon the measure of punishment meted out to the submarine commander responsible for the offense. In the event of a denial of responsibility by Germany the American government would be confronted with the necessity of determining whether it should act on the basis of evidence from other sources.

The only legal weakness in the case of the Sussex, it is said is the fact that the American naval attaches did not actually see the metal fragments taken from the Sussex and the fact that no American citizens have sworn to having seen the wake of a torpedo before the Sussex was struck.

Such affidavits have been received from citizens of other nations. Aside from the Sussex case, particular attention is being given by the administration to the number of neutral vessels torpedoed recently.

NAME PRESIDING BISHOP OF CHURCH OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., April 6.—Benjamin R. McGuire of Brooklyn, N. Y., today was named presiding bishop of the reorganized church of Latter Day Saints at the general conference of the church in session here. He succeeds E. L. Kelly of Lamoni, Iowa.

Frederick M. Smith, president of the church, in making the appointment which was confirmed later by the conference, said the choice had been directed by revelation.

Bishop Kelly has served the church since 1881. He tendered his resignation a year ago, but was prevailed upon to retain it until his successor could be named. Bishop McGuire is a lawyer.

TEN HURT, SEVERAL SERIOUSLY, IN INTERURBAN COLLISION

MILWAUKEE, April 6.—Ten persons were injured, several seriously and a score or more were badly shaken up in a head-on collision late today of two Milwaukee North-West Electric Interurban cars, near Thirville, ten miles north of here. The known injured are all residents of Wisconsin. The regular car from Milwaukee to Sheboygan was standing on the track when a special car carrying sixty one students and professors from the Milwaukee School of Engineering, crashed into it. The shock of the collision was so great that the regular car was telescoped.

DUNNE DENIES PETITION.

Springfield, Ill., April 6.—Governor Dunne today denied the petition for a reparation of John W. Talbot of South Bend, Ind., supreme president of the Order of Owls, who was charged with conspiracy in Kane county in connection with certain alleged defamatory pamphlets directed against officers of the Order of Moose.

WHITE GETS DECISION.

Kansas City, Mo., April 6.—Charles White, the Chicago light-weight was awarded a decision over Matt Wells, English light-weight champion, in 15-round bout here tonight.

FIVE CATTLE GROWERS PROTEST AGAINST PROPOSED PROBE

Insist Investigation Would Not Only
Fail to Prove a Packers' Combine,
but Would Tend to Disturb Business.

Washington, April 6.—Five cattle growers who said the were prosperous and contented, protested to the house judiciary sub-committee today against the Borland resolution for investigation of the packing industry which has been earnestly urged by western livestock organizations and individual raisers and feeders.

The witnesses were J. C. Clay of North Salem, Ind.; W. D. Reynolds and James Nail of Fort Worth, Texas; Phil S. Hayner of Taylorville, Ill., and Charles Clayton of Denver, Colo. They insisted that an investigation not only would fail to prove the existence of a packers' combine but would tend to disturb business. Losers in the industry under present conditions, they maintained, were men who do not understand it or fail to use good judgment.

The committee closed its hearings temporarily tonight without acting on the resolution or bringing about an agreement between the packers and those who seek an inquiry as to the form an investigation should take. Within the next two weeks hearings probably will be resumed and representatives of the packers will present further testimony in opposition to the Borland measure.

Mr. Clay told the committee that congress was not qualified to investigate the beef business if conditions were bad and attributed raisers' troubles chiefly to their own weakness for profit taking from which he did not exempt himself.

LEONARD PLEADS GUILTY TO ROBBING DURANT, IA., POST OFFICE

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, April 6.—William Leonard, confessed robber of the Durant, Iowa, postoffice early last winter and a gunman and yegg with a long criminal record, was arraigned today before Judge Reed of the United States federal court to answer to the indictment brought against him by the grand jury in connection with the Durant affair. His plea was that of guilty. Sentence probably will be imposed tomorrow morning.

Leonard was the only member of the Durant robber gang to be captured, his arrest coming after a sensational flight in an automobile which was halted by the authorities at Clinton, Iowa. He has spent the past six months in the county jail at Marion, Iowa, awaiting the April term of court.

EXPERT ANOTHER ARREST IN THE CASE OF DR. ARTHUR WAITE

NEW YORK, April 6.—Another arrest probably will be made tomorrow in the case of Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, who has confessed the murder of his father-in-law, John E. Peck of Grand Rapids, Mich., according to a statement made today by District Attorney Swann.

Among those who will be questioned tomorrow by Mr. Swann will be Eugene Oliver Kane, embalmer, to whom Waite says he gave \$9,000 in hope of obtaining evidence that arsenic was used in embalming Mr. Peck's body. Additional evidence was obtained today regarding Waite's study of germs at Flower Hospital in this city. The young dentist is said to have expressed a desire to obtain slides of the most virulent cultures in existence.

GRANTS STATE OF ORDER OF STATE UTILITIES COMMISSION

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 6.—Judge Norman L. Jones in the Sangamon county circuit court today granted a stay of the order of the state public utilities commission against the Springfield Gas & Electric company providing for a reduction in gas rates from \$1 to \$0.80 per 1,000 cubic feet, effective April 9th.

The company was required by the court to file a bond to insure reimbursement to the consumers of monies paid out in excess of the new rate pending the decision of the supreme court to which the case will, it is said, be carried.

IOWA VOTERS MUST REGISTER.

Davenport, Iowa, April 6.—Iowa voters must register for the June primary this year, because of the woman suffrage amendment which is to be voted on. This was the response from the office of the attorney general today in answer to a question put by the Scott county attorney.

The attorney general holds that the fact that the woman suffrage amendment is to be voted on makes the primary a special election also.

UNABLE TO TRANSPORT INCAPACITATED PRISONERS

London, April 6.—Holland has notified Great Britain that owing to the danger of navigation in the North Sea the Holland government will be unable to undertake the transport of exchanged British and German incapacitated prisoners of war.

RED SOX SIGN WALKER.

Boston, April 6.—The acquisition of Clarence Walker, heavy hitting outfielder of the St. Louis Americans by the Boston Americans was announced today.

GERMANS LAUNCH STRONG ATTACKS

Attempt to Regain
Trenches Lost to British
Near St. Eloi

CAPTURE HAUCOURT

Teutons Take What They Consider an Important Strategic
Point Northwest of Verdun

FRENCH DRIVE GERMANS BACK

Not only have the Germans been engaged in heavy fighting with the French around Verdun, but they have launched a strong attack against the new British positions near St. Eloi which lies a few miles south of Ypres in an endeavor to regain 600 yards of trenches which the British won from them ten days ago. The fighting around St. Eloi proceeded throughout the day, and had not terminated when the latest British official statement was issued.

Gains on Both Sides.
There have been gains on both German and French sides. The Germans captured the village of Haucourt, which lies in Avourcourt-Bethincourt sector to the northwest of Verdun.

This is considered by the Germans as an important strategic point, for while the French held it the Germans could not cross the Forges brook.

Of this operation the French war office says a series of attacks in which large numbers of men took part followed a bombardment of extreme violence. These attacks were checked by the French fire but one more furious than the others, launched at the center against the village of Haucourt, resulted in the Germans gaining a foothold "in spite of repeated checks and bloody sacrifices."

The French claim that this village is dominated by the French guns.

French Drive Germans Back.
On their side the French forces carried a large section of the position north of Avourcourt, known as the Boise Carre, and in severe hand to hand fighting south of Fort Douaumont drove the Germans back thru their underground passages for a distance of 200 meters along a front of 500 meters. They succeeded also by their curtain of fire in preventing an assault on the Cote du Poivre to the east of the Meuse which the Germans had subjected to a long intense bombardment.

The French war office officially announces that during the month of March a total of 35 German aeroplanes were destroyed and that the French aerial losses amounted to only thirteen aeroplanes. This is doubtless in reply to the German statement recently issued to the effect that in March the British and French lost forty-four aeroplanes, while the Germans lost only fourteen.

British Capture Felahie.
Another town in Mesopotamia, Felahie, has been captured by the British which brings the relieving forces so much nearer to Kut-el-Amara, where General Townshend and his command have been beleaguered for many months. The capture of Felahie was preceded by a succession of assaults on the entrenched position of the Turks at Umm-el-Henna, the Turks being driven out of five lines of trenches.

A Spanish council has been called to consider the question of the torpedoing of Spanish vessels. A German submarine has been sunk by a squadron of French and British warships, the crew being captured. The British steamers Zent and Vesuvio also have been sent to the bottom. Forty-eight members of the crew of the Zent are missing.

Three of the survivors of the Vesuvio were injured.

SCHERER RETURNED TO QUINCY.
Quincy, Ill., April 6.—Roy Scherer, sold by Quincy at the close of last season to Fort Worth, Texas, on an optional agreement, has been returned. Scherer led the Three Eye in batting last year.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Illinois: Unsettled weather Friday and Saturday with showers; slightly warmer in north portion Friday.

Temperatures.
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Thursday were:

Jacksonville	39	48	29
Boston	45	52	42
Buffalo	30	34	34
New York	45	48	44
New Orleans	66	70	62
Chicago	33	38	26
Detroit	38	42	32
Omaha	38	40	24
St. Paul	30	34	14
Helena	45	48	34
San Francisco	63	72	60
Winnipeg	22	24	4

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The indications are that Frederick C. Tanner will be re-elected chairman of the New York Republican state central committee when organization is effected at the meeting soon to be held. It is a favorable indication of upward tendency in political affairs when such men as Mr. Tanner are placed in important organization offices and permitted to continue in their work.

A bank of Apache Indians, twenty in number is to be sent to aid General Pershing in the Mexican campaign. The Indians are to "spy out" the country and in general aid in combatting the difficulties which present themselves to the American soldiers because of the pathless wilds through which they must pass. By instinct and training the Indians are fitted for this task. As one thinks of the past it is strange that the Indians, from whom our forefathers rightly but ruthlessly wrested this land, must now be turned to as best fitted for the exceptionally difficult task that presents itself to Uncle Sam's troops.

Col. Hardin's Career.

One of the names which stands out boldly in the history of Morgan county is that of Colonel Joan J. Hardin. His life was one of large usefulness as a citizen and great accomplishment as a soldier. Because of his connection with the Mexican war and the battle of Buena Vista, his record in these days of Mexican trouble comes into greater prominence.

Last week Mr. Ensley Moore began a resume of Colonel Hardin's life and influence together with the facts surrounding his tragic death, and the details of the impressive funeral ceremonies here. Another article appeared in the Journal yesterday and a third today, completing the series. There is much in Colonel Hardin's life worth knowing, and inseparable with it are important facts in Jacksonville's history and the three articles merit reading by all those persons interested in the city's past.

G. A. R. is Fifty Years Old.

Yesterday was the fiftieth anniversary of the Grand Army of the Republic, for the first charter was issued April 6, 1866, to the first post at Decatur. Capt. Reibsaue of the

Rippling Rhymes
By WALT MASON

DOWN GRADE

The road down hill is easy, your gait is brisk and breezy, companionship is gay; and as you trot along it, the dead game sports who throng it will cheer you on your way. You play the bowl and flagon, and fear the water wagon, the hydrant and the pump, and, laughing at the sorrow which will arrive tomorrow, you hasten to the dump. Your gait grows ever swifter, with willie-waught and snifter, four fingers at a throw; with decency you quarrel, and sneer at all things moral, and to the dump you go. Oh, faster yet and faster, you speed on to disaster, and steeper is the slope; friend stop and look and listen, while yet in sight there glisten the snowy robes of hope! Some turn around and scramble back thru the rock and bramble, a weary, rickety climb; but there are hands to aid them, and the sore feet delayed them. They reach the top in time, but most of those who amble down the hill don't try to scramble back to the beautiful pump, back to the same existence they're leaving in the distance, but keep on to the dump.

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116th Illinois is the only surviving charter member. Altho the grand army still numbers 159,000 the ranks are slowly and surely thinning and ten years from now a mere remnant will remain. Practically every one of the old soldiers is more than seventy years of age and the best proof of how rapidly the veterans are passing away is shown by the comparative figures. In 1893 there were more than 400,000 veterans, and in the intervening years 241,600 have answered taps. The history of the G. A. R. has been creditable to American citizenship and the organization has exerted a powerful influence upon the policies and progress of this country. The G. A. R. has fostered patriotism, it has encouraged good citizenship and today "old soldiers" furnish inspiration and example to citizens of fewer years.

"Boss" Barnes Power Declines.

The power of "Boss" Barnes of New York seems to be badly on the wane, for Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania is quoted as saying that "Barnes is dead and doesn't know it." This coming from the senator, who was long rated as an intimate political associate of Mr. Barnes, is quite significant. There have been a great many happenings in New York politics to show that Barnes' organization has lost much of its hold in that state, and "the old guard" methods have fallen into disrepute. The damage suit brought by Barnes against Colonel Roosevelt, with its attendant revelations of New York political deals, did not serve to add anything to the prestige of the long time "boss", and so in one way and another he has been losing ground. Yet the Barnes organization, despite the Penrose statement, is not wholly lifeless and still exerts some influence in politics in the Empire state.

Railroads Have Just Complaint.

There is a good deal of truth in the contention made by the railroads that practice of congress fixing the rate at which they shall haul mail by contract is unfair. The matter has often been discussed in congress but no change has been made and as a result arbitrary rulings are made fixing the price at which mail should be carried, regardless of the cost to the roads. There has been some well based agitation for turning over this whole authority to the interstate commerce commission, which has supervision of the general rates of the railroads, and this would mean that the rate would be based upon careful calculation of the cost of the service rendered. Very frequently the government pays too much for what it buys, but this does not hold good with mail contracts, and occasionally in some other matters.

It was shown not long since by figures compiled in Chicago that the government under the contract with the United Railways company is securing transportation for employees to the value of more than \$150,000 for a total sum of \$25,000. The contract was made a long time since and an attempt was made to figure out a fair exchange of pay for service but because of some error made and for the added reason of changed conditions the relative figures are as indicated.

When the World Revises Tariffs.

Professor Henry C. Emery, formerly chairman of the tariff board appointed under a Republican administration, has an interesting article in the New York Annalist entitled, "When the World Revises Tariffs." Dr. Emery discusses the "most-favored-nation clause" and its interpretation in America and in Europe, the American interpretation demanding a quid pro quo, while in Europe a concession granted to a third country, under the clause becomes ipso facto extended to the other party of the treaty. "It is highly probable," says Dr. Emery, "that this great principle will be abandoned when the war closes." He thinks the adoption of the American interpretation in Europe will be general, and those who have read the proceedings of the recent trade conference held in Vienna, looking to a commercial alliance between Germany and Austria, after the war recall that tentative provisions were adopted looking to this very thing.

Dr. Emery closes his article with a discussion of a bargaining tariff, by which fair exchanges may be made, giving favors in return for favors. He states it as his conviction "that in the great readjustment after the war the only way in which we can properly safeguard our export industries is to make a wide extension of this (bargaining) principle so as to be in a position to offer concessions in exchange for similar favors."

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Party Given for Mr. and Mrs. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Robinson were given a miscellaneous rush Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Stice. Mrs. Robinson is a sister of Mr. Stice. Fifty guests were present and the evening was spent in games and other amusements and a three course supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson received many useful presents which were highly appreciated. Those present from a distance were: Misses Ruth Peters and Inez Gray of Jacksonville, Oliver and Samuel Lindsay of Litchfield, Miss Ona Turner of Beardstown.

State Street Church Sunday School Classes.

Thirty young people, pupils of the girls' Bible class taught by Mrs. Mary T. Carriel and the boys' Bible class taught by Miss Helen Crawley, enjoyed a party Thursday evening in the parlors of State street church. Various games afforded entertainment and refreshments were served.

Oneida Club with Mrs. J. M. Reid.

Mrs. J. M. Reid was hostess to members of the Oneida club yesterday afternoon at her home on West Lafayette avenue. There was good attendance and the afternoon hours were spent in very enjoyable manner.

Delta Club Dance.

Members of the Delta Club and friends to the number of twenty, enjoyed a program of dances Thursday evening at the Peacock Inn. The dance was held in the Peacock room.

Missionary Society With Mrs. Rees.

The April meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Franklin M. E. church was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Rees. Mrs. Anna Hanson led the meeting with review of a chapter from the study book, "The King's Highway." Leaflets were read by Mrs. Rees and by Mrs. M. B. Keplinger. During a pleasant social hour refreshments were served.

Last Meeting At Maple Grove.

The Maple Grove Parent-Teachers' association held the last meeting of the year Thursday afternoon at the school. Work in the free kindergarten was reviewed by Miss Claribel Hopper. Jean LaRue gave an instrumental solo and Misses Kelley and Beasall a vocal duet. Miss Sooy was accompanist for the vocal number. Richard and Florence Godfrey sang with Mrs. Godfrey at the piano. A question box discussion, in which were brought out several topics of interest to Maple Grove school was held. Light refreshments were served.

Ladies Aid of Salem Church.

The Ladies Aid Society of Salem church met with Mrs. Edward Armstrong Thursday afternoon. There was a large attendance and an interesting business session was carried out. At its conclusion refreshments were served. The society decided to hold a market Saturday, April 15. The next meeting will be held May 6.

Picnic Enjoyed At Ebenezer School.

Pupils of Ebenezer school northwest of Jacksonville enjoyed a picnic recently in the woods nearby. The party was made up of Rex Mason, Wilson Henderson, Lefty Ferreira, Dawson Jordan, Dortha Bell, Edgar Bell, James Bell and Misses Mary Reid, Ora Birdsell, Tillie Dixon, Odessa Birdsell, Dorothy Birdsell, Viola Dixon, Evelina Ferreira and Ada Brodgon.

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MORTUARY

March.

W. E. Hall received a message yesterday conveying news of the death of his brother-in-law, Charles March at his home in Los Angeles, Calif., which occurred Wednesday evening at 10:30 o'clock. Deceased was born on the March homestead two miles east of the city which is now the farm of A. J. Bacon. He will be remembered by many of the older citizens of the community. He was united in marriage in 1861 to Miss Isabelle Wight, who with his daughter, Edith survive. There survives one sister, Miss Emma March of Chicago. Shortly after his marriage Mr. March removed to the vicinity of Moweaqua where he resided until 1885, when he removed to California where he has since made his home. Funeral services will be held in Los Angeles Saturday.

Merrigan.

A year or two since John B. Merrigan was a familiar figure here among printers and the various

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Young of Kansas City, Mo., and Julia A. Taylor of Baltimore, Md. Mrs. Parrish was a faithful member of Bethel A. M. E. church and her passing will be noted with great regret by many friends. Funeral announcements will be made later.

DENY INTENTION TO WITHDRAW TROOPS

(Continued from Page One.)

ty made a trip into Mexico to assist another cavalry command in the capture in the Sierra Madres of another outlaw—Geronimo, the war chief of the Apaches. It was Peaches, together with Sharley, another of the scouts, who, after Geronimo had made his escape from the soldiers at Mescalero, N. M., and again took the warpath, went into the old medicine man's camp near Phoenix, Ariz., and captured him.

Feathers Suggest Primitive Native.

As the scouts, clad in a khaki of the cavalry, prepared for their departure tonight, only the eagle feathers of the Apache insignia of war stuck into the tightly woven braids of long black hair suggested the primitive native of America.

Tucked away in each man's shirt was a small package wrapped in buckskin, containing a pair of moccasins.

Eskandesta, better known as "Chicken," the ranking officer of the band, explained that once on the trail of Villa, among forests and cliffs of Guerrero, the scouts will discard their uniforms and continue the search as did their forefathers before the civilization of the white man enveloped them.

The Indians are enlisted in the Apache scouts, an organization similar to the Philippine scouts, under the control of the bureau of Indian affairs. Among them were several graduates of Haskell Indian institute at Lawrence, Kans., including Charlie Shipp, police judge of the reservation.

Satevo to Figure in Reports.

San Antonio, Texas, April 6.—Somewhere south of Satevo, probably will figure frequently in future reports of military operations against Francisco Villa. Out of the great mass of unofficial and conflicting reports General Funston and his staff have found none they regard more probable than that made by Consul Fletcher of Chihuahua several days ago when he said Villa was south of Chihuahua.

General Pershing has made no late report as to Villa's whereabouts or concerning the movements of the advanced cavalry columns, but General Funston said today he had no doubt that by this time at least one detachment had gone as far as Satevo.

From Satevo, trails lead east and south and if Villa did go to Satevo, it is regarded as practically certain that he has continued toward Parral.

General Pershing still is searching the district about Guerrero by cavalry and infantry, but this is being done to clear that part of the hands scattered at the fight at Guerrero as much as to locate Villa, who many insist is still hiding within a half day's ride of Guerrero.

News that Secretary Lansing had denied the government was contemplating the withdrawal of the troops before the object of their entry into Mexico had been accomplished, was received without comment at General Funston's headquarters.

END CELEBRATION OF HUNDRETH ANNIVERSARY WITH BANQUET

WASHINGTON, April 6.—A two days' celebration of the 100th anniversary of the establishment of the United States coast and geodetic survey ended here tonight with a banquet at which President Wilson delivered an address. The coast survey, said the president, is one of the few branches of the public service in which the motives of those engaged cannot be questioned.

"There is something intensely appealing to the imagination in the intellectual ardor which men bestow upon scientific inquiry," said the president. "It is one of the few pursuits in life which gets all its momentum from purely intellectual ardor from a love for finding out what the truth is, regardless of all human circumstances—as if the mind wished to put itself into intimate communication with the almighty itself."

The president pictured the survey as lifting a curtain which before the country was mapped rested on all the continent's great spaces.

WIVES OF OFFICERS AND MEN OF SEVENTH RECEIVE MAIL FROM FRONT

DOUGLAS, Ariz., April 6.—The wives of officers and men of the Seventh United States Cavalry which has participated in the hardest part of the punitive expedition into Chihuahua, received a heavy batch of mail from the front today. The latest letter was dated from Guerrero March 28th. The chief privation endured, one letter said, was in having to throw away all their personal effects, even tooth brushes and razors. Every officer and man in the Seventh is letting his beard grow, one letter said.

One man said he lived for five days on parched corn while on duty with a small detachment.

All the letters expected the utmost confidence and determination to succeed in the capture of Villa.

TERMS CHARGES OF COMPLICITY IN PASSPORT FRAUDS ABSURD

BALTIMORE, April 6.—Carl A. Luderitz, German consul when asked this evening concerning dispatches from Washington that the department of justice was seeking to have him indicted by the federal grand jury for alleged complicity in the passport frauds, said:

"Why such charges are being trumped up I do not know. To show how absurd they are I would like to point out that I could not issue a passport for anyone; could not even apply for it. The most I could do would be to issue a German passport but that would not amount to this," he snapped his fingers. "In the face of no official confirmation of the work of the department of justice I do not care to go into deeper details but upon receiving a copy of the indictment officially, will prepare my answer."

EXPRESS SATISFACTION OVER RECENT AIR RAIDS

Geneva, April 6.—via Paris.—The newspapers of Friedrichshafen and other points near the Zeppelin headquarters express great satisfaction over the recent air raids over England. In their comment, however, the newspapers make no mention of the women and children and other non-combatant victims.

SINK BRITISH STEAMER

London, April 6.—The British steamer Vesuvio has been sunk. Three injured survivors have been landed. The vessel was unarmed.

SINK ALLIED TRANSPORT.

London, April 7.—An Athens despatch to the Daily Mail says that a telegram has been received from Preveza to the effect that a large transport belonging to the entente allies has been sunk off the west coast of Greece. The telegram added it was believed many were lost.

TO REQUEST EXPLANATION.

Madrid, April 6.—via Paris, April 7.—The Spanish cabinet has decided to instruct the ambassador at Berlin to request an explanation of the sinking of the Spanish steamer Vigo and a definition of its policy with regard to the rights of neutrals on the seas.

SENATE RETAINS VOLUNTEER PROVISION IN ARMY BILL

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The senate retained the federal volunteer provision in the army bill late today by a vote of 36 to 34, rejecting Senator Lee's amendment to strike the section from the bill. The vote ended a four day debate on the action.

Advocates of the national guard as the first line of defense behind the regular army, supported the amendment vigorously and the struggle was one of the hardest fought in the senate at this session of congress. It began after the defeat in the military committee last week, when a proposal to create a national guard section of the army general staff was written into the bill. The narrow margin by which the Federal volunteer provision was retained makes it doubtful that it will be in the measure finally framed by the conference committee between the two houses.

From the Educator's Notebook.

San Francisco.—The millinery art and dancing are among the innovations that will be introduced this summer at the summer session of the University of California. Dean Hart of the summer school has arranged for Miss G. Louise Ayres, a pattern hat designer of New York, to show the woman the art of millinery. And from far off Warsaw, in Poland, will come Edward Kurylo, master of the Imperial Russian Ballet. Other new and unusual courses have been arranged.

Washington.—Much interest is taken in the bill for national aid to vocational education, introduced in the Senate by Senator Hoke Smith and in the House by Representatives by Congressman Dudley M. Hughes. The bill authorizes grants of money by the United States government to the states, and establishes a Federal Board of Vocational Education. The grants are to be conditioned upon the maintenance of a specified standard of efficiency in the local agencies. For the first year, a total of \$1,700,000 would be appropriated and this would be increased until in nine years it would reach \$7,200,000. It is proposed to have the supervision of this great fund placed in the hands of a board of citizens representing the various interests concerned.

London.—That English educational systems will undergo radical changes in the near future is the opinion of eminent educators. Headmaster Alexander Deane of Claymore School, Winchester, has bitterly attacked the English system of class distinction in school life. Prof. Devine says he views with deep concern the widening of the gulf between class and class, which has shown itself strongest in the matter of education. It is necessary for the students in the English elementary and preparatory boarding schools to belong to the gentry. The come from one of these schools almost settles a young Englishman's status in society. Positions in public life and the dignified branches of commercial life are limited to these school men. The name of their school has a similar influence to the fraternities in the United States, but it carries weight among all classes of people. "Never again will men and women be quite as they have been in the past," says Prof. Devine. "We shall be a lost nation indeed if after this war we are not a very different nation."

Washington.—A bill has been introduced by Senator Walsh of Montana amending the statehood act of Montana, the Dakotas and Washington by providing that all lands granted by that act for educational purposes shall be disposed of only at public sale at not less than ten dollars an acre, the proceeds to form a permanent school fund, the interest only to be spent in support of the schools.

Boston.—The Massachusetts Institute of Technology is arranging for the dedication next June of its great new plant across the Charles River in Cambridge. The full membership of undergraduates will remain over for the event, which is made additionally important because it is the fiftieth anniversary of the famous scientific school.

SOLDIERS' DEATHS.

The record of deaths at the "In. Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Quincy, during month of March was as follows:

William Baker, Co. 1, 6th Iowa Inf., age 73 yrs., John Newberry, Co. E, 42nd Ill. Inf., age 70 yrs., George Dimick, Co. D, 15th Ill. Inf., age 75 yrs., James P. Trumbo, Co. A, 133rd Ill. Inf., age 71 yrs., William Claybaugh, Co. F, 17th Ia. Inf., age 84 yrs., Frank A. Buzzell, Co. I, 4th N. H. Inf., age 78 yrs., Gerard Derleth, Co. A, Alton Battalion, age 71 yrs., George J. Bates, Co. G, 17th Ill. Cav., age 70 yrs., Robert B. Holt, Co. G, 91st Ill. Inf., age 77 yrs., Wilbert Bonner, Co. B, 159th Ill. Inf., age 79 yrs., Andrew J. Walker, Co. K, 2nd Ill. Cav., age 74 yrs., James S. Marsh, Co. G, 45th Ill. Inf., age 78 yrs., David H. Hobbs, Co. C, 27th Ill. Inf., age 72 yrs., Emory S. Newcomer, Co. F, 34th Ill. Inf., age 31 yrs.

NEGRO IS CAPTURED.

Norfolk, Va., April 6.—George Carter, the negro, who last night shot and killed C. E. Davis, ordinary seaman from the Battleship New Hampshire and Charles Stronson, a marine from the Norfolk naval hospital was captured here tonight. Carter says he shot Davis and Stronson because he thought they intended beating his brother to death. Stronson's mother lives in Chicago.

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Amsterdam, Netherlands, March.—The conversion of Alsace-Lorraine into an independent buffer state between France and Germany, possibly joined to the small independent Grand Duchy of Luxembourg that is now in German occupation, is the latest suggestion put forward in Dutch Socialist circles in an attempt to bridge the deep chasm between the French and German Socialist groups, and to enable the Socialists on both belligerent sides to work with one accord in their respective countries for the attainment of peace.

The Alsace-Lorraine question is the great stumbling-block which has hitherto defeated all attempts of the famous Socialist International to restore harmony and unity among the various national groups affiliated to it, and the Dutch Socialist organ Het Volk now put forward the foregoing as the chief point in a draft of peace terms upon the basis of which, it urges, all Socialists might undertake a campaign in favor of ending the present terrible struggle.

Rejecting the idea of the war indemnity recently referred to in the Reichstag as out of the question, the program in question sets forth further that Germany shall surrender the territory she has occupied in the West in return for the restoration to her of the free sea, which is, says Het Volk a hundred times more necessary for her national existence, while the Allies shall give her back her lost colonies in exchange for the non-Polish Russian territory in German occupation and the restoration of Serbia and Montenegro. Russian Poland should, it is proposed, become an independent state, which is on the one hand what the Russian emperor has promised and on the other would furnish Germans with an important reinforcement of the safety which so many of them regard as threatened on the Russian side.

As regards the Alsace-Lorraine solution already mentioned, it is argued that only a defeated Germany would cede this territory to France, while only a crushed France would reconcile itself to Alsace-Lorraine remaining German. Hence the call for another plan. The people of the new state would choose their own form of government, and would naturally, if they decided on that luxury, outside Germany and France.

The Socialist organ quoted cherishes no illusions in regard to such a program being acceptable to the belligerent countries at the present moment. It is nevertheless convinced that if, after another costly attempt on the part of both sides to secure the long-sought victory, the position is not changed, the way out will have to be found in some such scheme, and concludes by declaring that it should be the duty of Social Democracy in the various countries to indicate this to the peoples and governments.

Budapest, March.—An official report states that the number of Hungarian "war orphans" up to the beginning of 1916 was 36,400.

The ministry of the interior has appealed to the local authorities to appoint special commissions to supervise the bringing-up of these war orphans and exercise control over their guardians.

London, March.—The famous old church tower at Sidestrand, near Cromer, which the late Clement

Scott immortalized in his song, "Garden of Sleep", collapsed during the recent severe wind and snow storm that swept England. One paper noted that the song which runs, "There's a tower of ruins, stands guard o'er the deep," was put in the past tense by the fall.

PEKING.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Incensed to greater sadness because of the revolutionary movements to the north, robbers and bandits are making life almost unbearable in the Chinese cities near the border of Mongolia. In the provinces of Shensi and Shansi the outlaws have even preyed upon the American missionaries who are ordinarily unmolested.

A missionary resident at Saratsi, in Shansi province, writes that the robbers entered that city on the first of January and held full sway for several days. They robbed and burned houses and shops. The mission was left undisturbed at first, but later the robbers appeared there, demanding guns and rugs, and carried off lot to the value of several hundred dollars. Some of the mandarins and officials who had taken shelter in the mission were brutally treated, one of them having his tongue cut out, but the missionaries themselves were not attacked. When government troops arrived, a battle ensued during which several shells fell in the missionary compounds.

When the government troops entered, even they continued the looting, until the commanding officers shot some of the offending soldiers. Meanwhile the robbers advanced to other villages.

Washington, March.—The Library of Congress maintains a card division which more than pays for itself by the sale of book index cards to libraries of the country. Its receipts last year were \$59,379. That was about \$11,000 more than expenses.

PUT DOWN MOVEMENT.

Rio Janeiro, April 6.—A seditious movement organized by the federal deputy Mauricio Lacerda has been put down by the police and various arrests have been made. The government has opened an inquiry into the movement which aimed at inciting elements in the army and the police to overthrow the government and establish a parliamentary republic.

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Burial of Hardin

By Ensley Moore.

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The Morgan Journal of Saturday, July 17, 1847, gave about nine columns to the return of the Volunteers, the burial of Hardin and some original poetry appropriate to the time.

Under this head, of its leading article on the editorial page, the paper had:

"Reception and Burial of the remains of Col. John J. Hardin.

There are some events, which form an era of sad and imposing interest, in the remembrance of men, and which break in but seldom upon the quiet routine of social life. Of this character, in an eminent degree, was the mournful pageant which consigned to its repose the mangled form of the noble and lamented Hardin. In its impression upon the deeper feelings of this community, this event stands in lone and melancholy pre-eminence; a center of strange and tender reminiscence, around which the thoughts of hundreds will often cluster and linger in coming time. Never have we witnessed such an exhibition of the dissolving power of sympathy, over the cold frostwork of human hearts, as was displayed during the funeral rites of this beloved man. It was the deep spontaneous voice of man's better and purer nature; hushing the wild tumult of life, bidding passion subside, disarming prejudice, mellowing every local and sectional asperity, and calling upon all, in tones of sweet and resistless eloquence, to lay aside the world, and forget the past, while the HEART yields its homage and sheds a tear over the ashes of the loved and fallen.

On Friday afternoon, about six o'clock the head of the procession, escorting the remains, was seen entering our village from the West, and as the long line of carriages and horsemen slowly deployed along the beautiful prairie that skirts the town, amid the solemn tolling of the bells and the roar of cannon, every place of business was closed; the noise of trade was stilled; and a feeling of indefinable woe and sorrow, seemed to steal upon every countenance, and pervade the entire place.

Immediately behind the hearse bearing the coffin, followed the noble war horse of Hardin, led by the trusty servant, who had followed him with unwavering fidelity and attachment, thru all his varied and perilous career upon a foreign soil.

To us this was the most touching feature in all the scenes of that day. It seemed to bring the subject right home to every heart, and realize to us, as nothing else did or could have done, the sad certainty of our loss. There, right before our eyes, saddled, bridled and caparisoned, was the noble animal upon which the bold Hardin had ridden for many a weary mile, over many a desert and dangerous waste.

"A steed comes at morning, no rider is there."

No HARDIN was there. His strong hand grasped not those reins, his manly form, his proud, glorious smile greeted not the throng of his admiring friends. The sight was truly impressive and melancholy; it seemed to reach the heart, and whisper in the spirit's ear like those fond tokens of the past; those tear-moistened mementoes of deathless affection which summon back from the spirit land in the vivid visions of a fervid fancy and a yearning love the remembered forms of the departed, only to start from the eye those hot streams of anguish and deepen sorrow by the painful contrast. No one could look upon the faces of that multitude without feeling that THOUGHT, busy, agonizing thought was brooding there, or perchance winging its course on the pinions of creative memory back to those days when the now sleeping hero, in the blush of glorious manhood, careered along, flashing back upon the hearts of his countrymen the patriotic devotion, the martial enthusiasm, the high exaltation which kindled his own, rendering him the observed of observers and the pride of the proud.

Having arrived on the public square, the brave volunteers were welcomed home by Judge Brown, in the very neat and pertinent address which we give below. * * * * *

Judge Brown was followed by Lieut. Col. Warren in behalf of the 1st Regiment, who returned thanks in the following handsome speech, for the cordial and grateful welcome extended to himself and corps after the fatigues and dangers of the camp and field: * * * * *

The body of Col. Hardin was then conveyed to the residence of his family where it remained until the following Wednesday, the day fixed for the burial.

Throughout the whole of Tuesday and Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, the people were entering town in almost one continuous stream from all directions. Actuated by a common sentiment of esteem for the dead, nearly every county and village in the state sent hither its swarm of delegates to participate in the mournful obsequies. Many members of the late Chicago Convention from New England and the South, taking Jacksonville in their route home, went many miles out of their course to be present on the occasion; while from Springfield nearly the whole convention (Constitutional) came down in a body, with many hundreds of others, seeming almost to strip that city of its

population. The concourse of strangers which assembled by 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning is variously estimated at from ten to fifteen thousand.

Every hotel and public house was filled to its utmost capacity, and nobly did our hospitable citizens redeem their pledge to receive their assembling friends from abroad with open doors and welcoming hearts. Citizen seemed to vie with citizen in seeing which should entertain the largest number of guests. We heard of some families who accommodated no less than fifteen and twenty. This is just as it should be, and we are proud of our fellow villagers, who have thus manifested a liberal and generous spirit. There is nothing more cheering, than to see men from every position of our commonwealth meeting together on common ground and mutually sharing those kindnesses which should ever flow from heart to heart thruout the whole brotherhood of man. It elevates and liberalizes the mind, and renders iron those generous bonds of society upon which its well-being so largely depends.

About ten o'clock, the various public bodies and citizens repaired to the residence of the deceased, and listened beneath the ample shade of those noble trees, reared by the hand now still in death, to the thrilling and instructive oration by our esteemed and talented friend, Richard Yates, Esq., which we have the pleasure herewith to present to our readers! * * * * *

The oration occupied nearly four columns of small type printing, and was a good thing, dealing largely in valuable biographical references to Col. Hardin. "After Mr. Yates had concluded, the Rev. Andrew Todd ('Old School' Presbyterian church) arose and pronounced in a voice of unusual clearness and power, the funeral discourse. As the Reverend speaker went on to unfold in a strain of great strength, beauty and pathos, the moral, social and religious characteristics and excellencies of the deceased, honest tear of sympathy stole down many a swarthy-warrior's cheek, attesting with an eloquence which no words can express, how truthful and exact was the delineation.

Of the bereaved widow and family we may not speak. Theirs is that intense, sacred sorrow of the soul, which no human solace can assuage; which no voice of formal sympathy from the world, should dare to invade.

He alone, "who tempers the wind to the shorn lamb," can bathe those bleeding hearts in streams of celestial love, woo away their thoughts from earth, and shelter those defenseless ones within the encircling arms of that father's God. We can only assure them, that the fame and memory of him who sleeps his last sleep in the stillness of yonder grove are not more tenderly cherished by this people, than are our earnest and tender regards for those dear ones whom he has left behind.

After the sermon was concluded, the burial procession was organized in the following order, a scheme of which as been politely furnished us by the Grand Marshall:

Order of Procession.

1. Hardin Light Infantry.
2. Governor and Suit.
3. Ill. State Convention.
4. Judges and Bar.
5. Trustees and Faculty of Illinois College.
6. Medical Faculty.
7. Fire company.
8. Clergy.
9. Masonic Fraternity.
10. Funeral Car, with Pallbearers, horse and servant of Col. H.
11. Family and relatives of the deceased.
12. First Reg. Volunteers.
13. Citizens on foot.
14. Citizens in Carriages.
15. Citizens on horseback.

In this imposing array, the procession moved out from the Mansion of Col. Hardin to State street; then down State street to the Public square; thence around the square to Beardstown street on the north; thence to the lane turning East (North street); and thence to the grave. The slow, regular, measured step adopted for the march, was peculiarly fitted for the occasion, and most impressive to the beholders.

To Major I. R. Simms, the Grand Marshall of the day, and his Aids; too much praise can hardly be awarded, for their untiring zeal and efficiency, in devising and conducting to a happy and orderly termination the details of their somewhat complicated, though excellent program. Notwithstanding the procession was nearly a mile and a quarter in length, we neither saw nor heard of any occurrence tending to mar or interrupt the order and harmony of the whole.

The "Hardin Light Infantry," an independent company from Springfield under their accomplished commander, Capt. Fisher * * * *

We, in common with all whom we have heard speak on the subject, were peculiarly gratified with the course of the Convention in Springfield, in voting to adjourn, and unite with us in this mournful occasion.

With their usual promptness and determination, our enterprising Fire Company, under the guidance of their efficient; Foreman, I. S. Hicks, turned out in force, and joined in the procession, with their beautiful banner, making a very handsome appearance. * * * * *

It may not be known to all, that

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SECRET OF SUCCESS.

"The new physician, Dr. Twitch, seems to be the busiest man in town," observed the assessor. "When he first came here I thought he'd starve to death, there were so many doctors, but everything has come his way. I wonder how he does it."

"He has a great scheme," said the druggist. "The doctors nowadays are great on dieting and sanitation and such things, and many of them argue against the use of drugs. You go to the ordinary practitioner and tell him you have the measles, and he will give you a list of things you mustn't eat."

"The list will be as long as your leg, and you will find in it all the things you are fond of. You will have to cut out pie and beefsteak and oysters. Then he will give you a list of the things you must eat, and it will comprise everything you hate."

"The doctor will ask if you smoke, and if you confess that you do, he will tell you to throw away your pipe and cigars. He will tell you to get up before daybreak in the morning, and walk eighteen miles before breakfast, and draw in 999 breaths of pure air, by actual count, and then take a bath in ice water, and rub yourself down with sandpaper. He may subscribe a few pills,

but the chances are he won't."

"It may be the modern doctors are right in following this course, but the average man, when he falls sick, wants medicine, and plenty of it. And that's where Dr. Twitch is winning out."

"Old Quackenbush has the most celebrated case of rheumatism in town, and for years he's been dieting to keep it down. The doctors told him that rheumatism is due to uric acid in the blood, and a man gets uric acid in his blood by eating meat, and he was cautioned against eating meat. O sirloin steak, he was told, meant a nickel-plated handle on his casket, and a slice of bacon was good for three nails in it. That old man's been just suffering for meat for years. He told me that it made him cry like a child to see people going to the butcher shop to buy roasts and such things while he had to eat boiled excelsior. It never occurred to him to defy the doctors. He thought he would drop dead if he chewed a piece of steak."

"But when he consulted Dr. Twitch, that great and learned man told him to eat whatever he blamed pleased, and prescribed about three quarts of a dark green medicine that tasted like a Chinese golden wedding and Quackenbush swears by him."

Col. Hardin a short time previous to his departure for Mexico, assumed the mystic vows, and was regularly inducted into the ancient and honorable Brotherhood of Free Masons, and became a worthy member of that Order. The burial services were therefore conducted by that Fraternity, in accordance with the sublime symbols and solemn mysteries of the Masonic ritual. * * * * *

From this body, five, viz: Len Lusk, P. G. M.; Cyrus Edwards, —; G. T. Brown, S. M.; — Bradford, S. M.; and — Souther, P. M.; were chosen, together with five from the Military, namely: Col. (E. D.) Baker; Col. Weatherford, Col. Foreman, Lt. Col. Warren and Major (W. A.) Richardson, to act as Pall Bearers.

The returning volunteers of the 1st Ill. Regiment, under temporary command of Capt. J. L. McConnell, were paraded into line in handsome style. * * * * *

To the Winchester Band, and their proficient leader, Mr. Holstomer, we return in behalf of our citizens, and all who were present, our acknowledgments for some of the most beautiful and appropriate music we ever heard. * * * * *

Well, our tale is told. The dead is buried! The hum of the receding multitude has died away over the echoing prairies; stillness reigns around the tomb of the chivalric HARDIN; the boom of artillery is

hushed to the low wail of the rocking winds. The morning light will kiss the dew from the waving grass and tender flowers which bloom above his head; the dying smile of evening will linger fainter and fainter till the glooms of night overshadow the reposeful hero; and thus will it be evermore, till the darkening sun, the reeling stars, and the crumbling earth, announce that time shall be no more.

We cannot more appropriately conclude this description of the sad pageant of Wednesday, than by introducing here the following lines, written some years since by Col. Hardin himself, while in Washington City, and enclosed in a letter to his wife. * * * * *

There may be others still living in Jacksonville who attended the funeral of Col. Hardin. But Benj. R. Upham and Abram R. Gregory were present.

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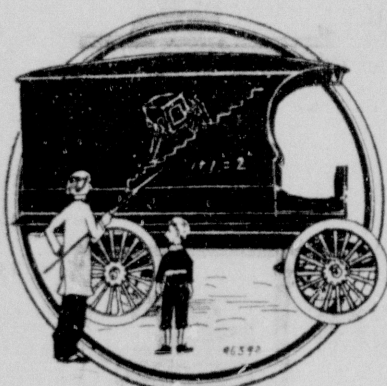
If you were thoroly satisfied with your coal this winter? If you weren't why not try our fuel this spring and be convinced that this IS the yard to place your orders with.

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SOX SWAMP TOPEKA.

Topeka, Kan., April 6.—By a score of 12 to 3, the Chicago Americans defeated the Topeka Western league team here today by a score of 12 to 3. The score:

R. H. E.
Chicago 12 16 2
Topeka 3 7 2
Batteries—Cleotis and Lynn; Dashner and Texter.

RICHMOND DOWNS PHILLIES.
Richmond, April 6.—A triple, a double and two singles off Alexander gave the Richmond Internationals three runs in the second inning of today's exhibition game and enabled them to win from the Philadelphia Nationals, 3 to 2.

STOMACH AGONIES DUE TO POISON

One Dose of Remedy Sweeps Pain Away—Hundreds of Thousands Restored.



Mayr's Wonderful Remedy is unlike any other. It sweeps the Bile and Poisonous Catarrhal Accretions from the System. Soothes and allays inflammation in the Intestinal Tract—the cause of serious and fatal ailments, such as Gall Stones, Appendicitis, Acute Indigestion, Cancer and Ulcers of the Stomach and Intestines, Yellow Jaundice, Constipation, Gastritis, Auto Intoxication, etc., etc. In every locality there are grateful people who owe their complete recovery to Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Thousands say it has saved them from the knife. The most thorough system-cleanser known. Contains no alcohol or habit-forming drugs. FREE booklet on Stomach Ailments. Address Geo. H. Mayr, Mfg. Chemist, Chicago. Better yet, obtain a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy from Armstrong's Drug Store or any reliable druggist, who will refund your money if it fails.

MOTHER! DON'T TAKE CHANCES IF CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

If Cross, Pevish, Sick, Bilious, Clean Little Liver and Bowels.

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently leave out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

"Why Swear, Dear? Use 'Gets-It' for Corns!"

It's the New Plan. Simple. Sure as Fate. Applied in a Few Seconds.

"Why, John, I never knew you to use such language! I've told you several times it's no use to try those bandages, salves, tapes, plasters, and



"You Wouldn't Lose Your Temper, John, If You Used 'Gets-It' for Those Corns!" Contraptions for corns. Here's some "gets-it." It's just wonderful how easy, "clear and clean" it makes any corn come right off. Takes but a few seconds to apply. It dries at once. Put your sock on right over it—there's nothing to stick or roll up, form a bandage of your toe, or press on the corn. It's painless, simple as rolling off a log. Now put away those knives, razors and scissors, use "Gets-It" and you'll have a sweeter disposition and no more corns and calluses.

"Gets-It" is sold by druggists everywhere. 25c. a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

Sold in Jacksonville and recommended as the world's best corn remedy—by Armstrong's Drug Store—J. A. Obermeyer.

LAND O'NOD STORIES

"Where have you been all afternoon and why are you so late for supper?" asked Mother when Billy Be Bo Bum reached home after his visit to Antland.

"Oh I was watching a lot of ants down by the oat field," replied Billy. "I became so interested in them that I did not notice how fast the time flew and it was past supper time before I knew it."

He did not say anything about meeting Tinker Teedle Tee or his trip to the ants' underground city. You see he had had so many wonderful adventures and seen so many strange things since leaving home that he knew no one would believe him if he told them even half of his experiences.

"More than likely they would say it was all nothing but a dream," Billy reasoned. "Maybe I did take a wee cat nap back there under the old apple tree, but my trip to Antland was real enough and Tinker Teedle Tee was the most lively dream man I ever saw."

So Billy ate his supper and trotted off to bed, and he was so tired that the minute his head touched the pillow the Sand Man bore him away to the Land O' Nod where he dreamed that he was the Queen of the Ants and had to lay a million eggs before he could get any breakfast.

The next day was Sunday and then it was time to go to school again. So for a whole week he was so busy he did not have much time to think of the merry little elf. He did not forget his adventures, however, and every time he saw an ant he stopped and tried to talk to it. But he had forgotten the language of the Little People, for the ants did not pay any attention to him. Neither could he understand a word they said to each other. But for all that he did not forget his promise to the Queen of Antland and was careful not to step on any of the busy little workers.

At last it was Saturday, and as soon as he had filled the woodbox for Mother Billy Be Bo Bum ran off down the lane in the hope of meeting Tinker Teedle Tee again. He was not disappointed, for when he reached the pasture bars he found the merry little elf waiting for him.

"Where have you been all week and what have you been doing?" asked Tinker, spreading his wings and flying up on Billy's shoulder.

"Oh I have been busy with my lessons," Billy replied. "But last night I read a dandy story."

"You did? What was it about?" "It was all about the adventures of a man who was banished to Siberia where he was held a prisoner for seven years in a dungeon deep under ground, and during all that time he never once saw the sun."

"Huh? That's nothing," said Tinker scornfully. "I know a fellow who has been buried alive for seventeen years."

FIRST WARD PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

Interesting Program Presented at Session Held Thursday.

The first ward parent-teachers' association met yesterday afternoon at the Jefferson school building with a good attendance. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Engel, Mrs. Rhoads, vice-president, occupied the chair.

Miss Helen Engel favored the audience with a piano solo.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. The committee reported proceeds of the picture show \$43 and it was decided to apply for membership in the state mothers' congress.

Mrs. Pires, Mrs. Kaule, and Mrs. Runkel were appointed a nominating committee to suggest the names of officers for the ensuing year.

Miss Helen Harney gave an interesting reading, "A Far Off Country."

Mrs. James Green read an interesting paper by Laura Spencer, "The Child's First Year in school."

The article was heard with much interest by the ladies. The writer told how the parents, especially the mother, had been all in all to the child up to the time of his starting to school and then, while the mother felt somewhat relieved at the idea of having some one else care for the offspring for a few hours five days in the week, still responsibility was by no means shifted from her shoulders, for new questions would arise daily.

The changing child, the child's companions, the beneficent years, demands on our intelligence, books, the help, and many other features of the questions were fully discussed by the writer.

At the close of the reading a social time was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

ADVERTISING BIRTH OF A NATION.

Lee M. Carroll has returned from a trip of several days in adjacent towns where he distributed advertising for "The Birth of a Nation," which appears at the Grand three days next week. Mr. Carroll reports that residents of towns he visited are enthusiastic over the prospect of seeing this great picture and there probably will be a large number of out of town patrons at the performances.

PICTURES THAT PREACH.

The Picture sermons that are being given at the Northminster church are creating a great interest. They are evangelistic sermons illustrated with the very finest of colored slides. The sermon next Sunday night will be on the subject: "The Temple of God." This sermon will be illustrated with 35 colored views. Illustrated song will be sung before and after the sermon.

CARDS DEFEAT BROWNS.

St. Louis, April 6.—Davenport and Fletcher were easy for the St. Louis Nationals and the latter took the fourth game of the city series from the St. Louis Americans here today, 4 to 2. The score:

Nationals 4 12 3
Americans 2 7 0
Batteries—Doak and Snyder; Davenport, Fletcher, Koeb, Crandall and Hartley.

PIRATES DOWN LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Ky., April 6.—Second Baseman McCarthy had thrown of Kautliener's punt in the fifth inning paved the way for two runs and the Pittsburgh Nationals defeated the Louisville American association club 3 to 2 here today.

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Stella S. Osborne, inventory approved.
Estate of George W. Samples, petition to sell real estate to pay debts heard and allowed.

Miss Effie Birdsell of Barrett was in the city Thursday on her way to Carrollton, for a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Butler.

FORMER MANCHESTER MAN IS NOW A CHICAGO ALDERMAN

Robert Pegram was Chosen by Large Majority in Recent Election—Farewell Party for Well Known Residents Who are to Live Elsewhere.

Mrs. Cennick Andras was shopping in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mrs. L. V. Lawson and little girl came up from Hillview Tuesday for a visit.

Mrs. F. F. Clark and daughter, Lucille Antrobus were in White Hall Tuesday, the latter for osteopathic treatment.

Mrs. Carrie Brown visited friends in Roodhouse Monday.

The ladies of the Christian church added to their treasury fund the sum of \$45.68 from serving meals last week.

Opal, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rimbe is sick this week.

W. F. and F. F. Clark drove to Roodhouse Monday morning.

Geo. Barnes was in White Hall Tuesday.

Mrs. W. T. Knox and daughter, Lucille were in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mr. Robert Pegram, many years ago a resident of this place, was elected alderman of 31st ward in Chicago in Tuesday's election. Mr. Pegram was elected by the Republican party by a majority of 1979 votes. Robert is the son of the late Dr. S. M. Pegram, who was a physician here some 25 years ago.

Members of the Royal Neighbors order went to the home of Mrs. John Langdon Wednesday night to spend a time in her home with her. The gathering was in the nature of a surprise on Mrs. Langdon, who is Oracle of the Lodge here. A good social time was had and light refreshments were enjoyed before the guests departed.

The Ladies comprising the Aid Society of the Christian church gathered in the home of Mrs. Carrie Brown, one of the society's members Thursday afternoon to tender a good bye to Mrs. Brown and Mrs. J. B. Smith, both of whom are to locate elsewhere in a few days. Both ladies will be very much missed in their places in the society. After a social time the ladies partook of ice cream and cake. Mrs. Brown goes to Sedalia, Mo., and Mrs. Smith to Springfield, Ill., to reside.

Mrs. Chas. Dean and Mrs. Chas. Leitze drove to Roodhouse Thursday afternoon.

A HANDSOME TROPHY

In the show window at the furniture store of Andre & Andre is a handsome trophy, a framed banner sent the city by the Illinois State Association For Preventing Tuberculosis. The banner is of scarlet, silk and damask, and makes a beautiful trophy and one of which the city and especially those who helped win it may be proud. It is handsomely embroidered and one side is the emblem of the order and on the other, the words are stitched.

Awarded by the Illinois State Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis for the largest sale of per capita of red cross seals in cities of population, 8,000 to 25,000.

IMPROVEMENT IN ROADS

The rapid manner in which Morgan county roads can get bad and good again has been well exemplified recently. Sunday the writer went out to the Mount school house Sunday school and a horse had the hardest kind of work to drag a buggy and at one time there was a suggestion that the trip be abandoned.

By Wednesday people began to arrive by road from various parts of the county and yesterday the high ways were declared quite passable here and there yet will be found a soft place and even a hole. An automobile trip was made to Winchester and back by a little after four.

HEAT FLASHES, DIZZY, NERVOUS

Mrs. Wynn Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her During Change of Life.



Richmond, Va. — "After taking seven bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel like a new woman. I always had a headache during the Change of Life and was also troubled with other bad feelings common at that time—dizzy spells, nervous feelings and heat flashes. Now I am in better health than I ever was and recommend your remedies to all my friends." — Mrs. LENA WYNN, 2812 E. O Street, Richmond, Va.

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Such warning symptoms are a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inquietude, and dizziness.

For these abnormal conditions do not fail to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Andrew Russel

Of Morgan County

CANDIDATE FOR

Delegate to National Republican Convention

If elected by the voters of the 20th Congressional District at the Primary Tuesday, April 11th, Mr. Russel will support Senator L. Y. Sherman for president.

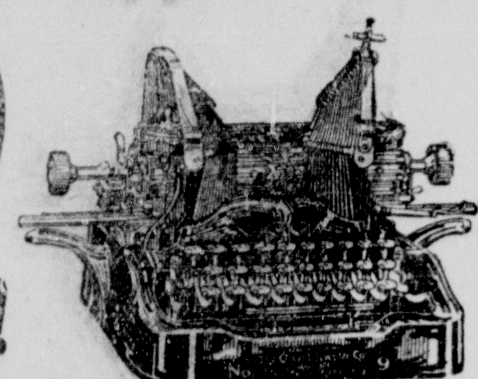
In the brief campaign just closing it has not been possible to see voters personally and Mr. Russel must rely on the newspapers to acquaint his friends throughout the district with his candidacy and to ask for their votes.

Primary April 11

(Political Advertisement.)

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This brilliant new Oliver comes at the old time price. It costs no more than lesser makes—now out-of-date when compared with this discovery.

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Resolve right now to see this great achievement before you spend a dollar for any typewriter. If you are using some other make you will want to see how much more this one does.

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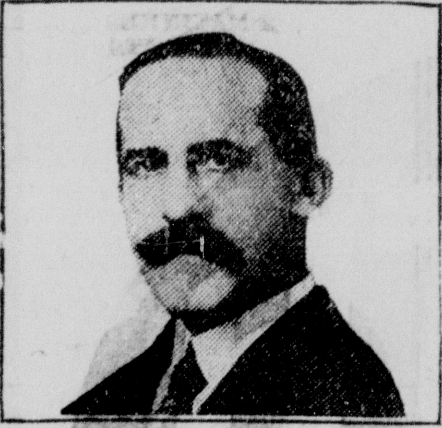
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WOMEN IN THE NEWS.

Washington, D. C.—Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood, the first woman admitted to law practice before the United States supreme court, is the principal figure in a unique court hearing which is set for tomorrow. Mrs. Lockwood seeks to prevent the payment of \$1,200 by the United States treasury to Mrs. Susan Sanders of Vinita, Okla., for she claims one-fifth of the sum under an agreement as attorney for the Oklahoma woman. Mrs. Lockwood has engaged a woman lawyer to fight her case. She is nearly 86 years old, and is still active in women's affairs, particularly the temperance, peace and suffrage movements. She was twice nominated for the presidency by the Equal Rights party.

Rapid City, S. D.—Mrs. S. E. Holcombe of this city is making an independent campaign for the office of mayor. Her platform is unique and straightforward, in that she promises that the roadway in front of her home will be repaired. That, she states, is her one and only reason for running for office.

New York—A round of social events exceeding any entertainment ever offered General Federation gatherings has been arranged for the biennial meeting here next May. New York and New Jersey women have joined forces to keep the social whirl going during the big conference. The directors of the general federation will be honored at a luncheon at the Hotel Astor on May 22. On the following day there will be a big reception at East Orange, and the state presidents will be the guests at luncheon in New York. The home economics department will give a dinner of 300 covers on May 24, just before the big reception at the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

San Francisco—While her college friends are vacationing at the seashore or at cozy mountain retreats, Miss Anita Allen, a pretty junior at Stanford university will hunt for big game in the Arctic. She will visit the land of the Eskimos and sail the icy seas off Siberia as the guest of her uncle, Capt. Louis Lang, the famous explorer. Noted hunters will be aboard, the walrus, the polar bear and the whale being the quarry which will be sought. Moving pictures will record the trip, and Miss Allen's literary attainments will be called into use to narrate the adventures of the party.

San Diego, Calif.—Miss Marion Vogdes, who has been selected as the typical southern California girl, the center of many features of the exposition which will be held here all summer, is the daughter of Major Charles D. Vogdes, U. S. A., retired. "Miss San Diego, 1916," as she is now officially known, is a brunette, with brown hair, big brown eyes and olive complexion. She formerly lived in Fargo, N. D., and was graduated from the high school there. As the social pet of the exposition, she holds a unique importance in the gayeties of the summer.

Minneapolis—A string of incidents which had their beginning in a fog six years ago when a little American girl accidentally bumped into the king and queen of Norway, probably will culminate with the admission of that girl as an attendant to the imperial family. Miss Dagny I. Just, a junior in the dental school at the University, has been asked to come to Norway as assistant to Dr. Gunda Frydenlund, dentist to Queen Maud. Six years ago she encountered their majesties by brushing against them in a fog. The happy Minneapolis girl plans to make the trip to Norway when she receives her degree in dentistry.

New Orleans—The Louisiana Division, Daughters of the Confederacy, is co-operating today in the observance of Confederate Memorial Day, and they are decorating the graves of soldiers with flags, flowers and green garlands. All of the monuments are being decorated this morning, and the daughters are also taking part in the exercises of the day.

BRAVES BEAT SENATORS.
Washington, April 6.—The Boston Nationals made the series even today by winning from the Washington Americans, 4 to 1.

With the score 1 to 1 in the ninth the Braves found Boehling for five hits and three runs. The score:
R. H. E.
Boston 4 11 1
Washington 1 5 1
Batteries—Rudolph, Tyler and Gowdy, Traverser; Ayers, Boehling and Gharrey.

PLAY SEVEN SCORELESS INNINGS.
Shreveport, La., April 6.—The Chicago Nationals and the Shreveport Texas league team played seven scoreless innings here today. The game was called on account of rain. The fielding of Flack and Zimmerman featured the game. The score:
R. H. E.
Chicago 0 1 1
Shreveport 0 2 2
Batteries—Hendrix and Archer; Hiatt and Smith.

RED SOX BLANK SUPERBAS.
Brooklyn, April 6.—The Boston Americans today began an attack against the Brooklyn Nationals, shutting out the Superbas, 6 to 0.

COLLEGE BASEBALL.
At Princeton—Fordham, 4; Princeton, 0.
At Swarthmore—Swarthmore, 8; Cornell, 4.

ANTI-PREPAREDNESS SPEAKERS WILL BEGIN CAMPAIGN

A Group of Well Known Men Will Make Series of Addresses to Combat President's Plan.

Personnel of Speech Campaigners Against Preparedness.
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Rev. Arthur L. Weatherly, Lincoln, Neb.
Herbert S. Bigelow, Cincinnati.
Rev. Adolf A. Berle, Boston.
Where Meetings Are Set.
New York, April 6.
Buffalo, April 7.
Cleveland, April 8.
Detroit, April 9.
Chicago, April 10.
Minneapolis, April 11.
Des Moines, April 12.
Kansas City, April 13.
St. Louis, April 14.
Cincinnati, April 15.
Pittsburgh, April 16.

New York, April 6.—A campaign on "the truth about preparedness," to be waged from platforms in the larger cities in the central part of the United States, will be launched here tonight. The Anti-Preparedness committee accepted the challenge of President Wilson to take the stump in defense of their cause, and the result is another "swing around the circle," in which the administration's measures for increased preparedness for war will be handled without gloves. Some of the most able speakers of the country have announced that they will make the tour, and they are gathered here today for the grand opening of the campaign tonight.

The Anti-Preparedness committee opposes not only the increase in the regular military establishment, as advocated by the administration, but has announced that it is against the militia pay provisions of the Hay bill.

The reception accorded the arguments which the speakers will put forth on the trip may afford some indication of the sentiment which exists throughout a large part of the country. Immediately after the return of President Wilson from his speaking tour two months ago, the opponents of his preparedness program announced they would also "swing around the circle."

Speaking of the opponents of preparedness, the president said in his St. Louis speech: "They have a right to talk, but they have no right to affect our conduct. Indeed, if I were in your place, I would encourage them to talk. Nothing could so fully like exposure to the air, and these gentlemen ought to be encouraged to hire large halls, and the more people they can get to hear them the safer the country will be."

The committee asserts that it has hired the largest halls it could obtain in each of the cities to be visited, thereby accepting even that condition of the president's challenge.

THE SALVATION ARMY CAMPAIGN.

There is no enterprise in Jacksonville more worthy than the Salvation Army. It does a work that no church will do, their work is distinct from the work of the church. All churches endorse and assist the Army in the work they are doing. It is a community need, and Jacksonville is no exception. There is as great a need for the Salvation Army in Jacksonville as in any city of its size in the state.

In this work we are helping a class of people who are unable to help themselves. They need a better condition of things in order to do efficient work. The barracks are greatly in need of repairs. They are absolutely unsanitary in almost every respect.

The plan is to raise the present building, put in a first class basement, with closets, wash rooms, play rooms, nurse rooms, kitchen and a good heating plant. This will give them plenty of room to take care of their growing Sunday school. It is also planned to remodel the present run down building in which the Captain and his family have to live. This house has no conveniences at all and hardly fit for any one to occupy. It is hoped that enough money will be contributed to remodel and furnish this home.

The committee to manage this campaign wish to call the attention of the citizens of Jacksonville to the need of this worthy community enterprise. There will be three days of this campaign, next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Some one will call upon you for your subscription.

C. W. B. M. WILL MEET.
The auxiliary of the C. W. B. M. will meet at Central Christian church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Arminia Patchen will be the leader and the topic will be, "Work in Latin America."

FINE POINT CLUB MEETING.
The Fine Point club will meet with Mrs. Henry W. English, 806 West College avenue, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Members will please bring or send money for concert tickets.

What is the Difference Between a Ford and an Automobile?

The Following are the Correct Definitions

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Low First Cost
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Complications
Expense
Failure
Grief
Decrease in Business
High Cost of Upkeep
High First Cost
Large Gasoline Consumption
Defense
Decreased Bank Account

And backed up by a full line of parts, at all times, no matter where you go.

High cost of Tires and no parts nearer than the factory

MORAL—The wise man buys a Ford and builds up a balance in the bank.

Therefore, the Ford can be likened unto the wise man who built his house on a rock, and the rains and the wind came and beat upon that house and it fell not. So, also, the rain and winds come and make bad roads for the Ford, but it never quits, for it is builded on a good foundation. All hail to the Ford!

And the man who buys an automobile can be likened unto the foolish man who builded his house on the sand, and the rain and winds came and beat upon that house and it fell, and great was the fall thereof. Woe be unto the man who builds his house upon the sands or buys an automobile. He will have trials and "trib-i-lashuns" all the rest of his days.

MORAL—Be like the wise man. Buy a Ford and put the rest in the bank

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TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION.

Martin Bros. have arranged for a tractor demonstration at the farm home of T. H. Buckthorpe two miles east of Jacksonville on the Morton road. The work will begin at 10 o'clock and for a short time thereafter farmers and others interested will be able to see the kind and amount of work that a tractor will do. This machine is known as an 8-16 and is operated with oil instead of gasoline. The tractor is one which Mr. Buckthorpe will use in his farming operations and he determined upon the purchase after a careful investigation.

MOVE TO COUNTRY HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Buckthorpe and son Tom are now established at their farm home on the Morton road. Mr. Buckthorpe some time ago leased the farm from Jefferson Dunaven of Mason City for a period of years. The farm is located on the hard road so that Mr. Buckthorpe will be able to be at his office just as usual, no matter what the weather conditions.

Dandruff Surely Destroys The Hair

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't. It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips. By morning, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

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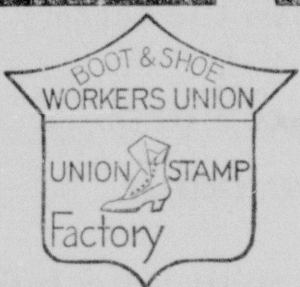
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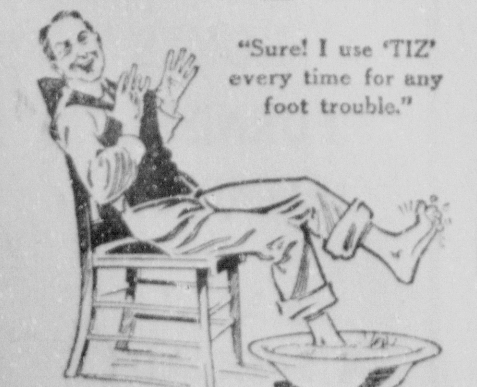
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poor, old feet feel. They want to dance for joy. "Tiz" is grand. "Tiz" instantly draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet and cause sore, inflamed, aching, sweaty feet.

Get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" at any drug store or department store. Get instant foot relief. Laugh at foot sufferers who complain. Because your feet are never, never going to bother or make you limp any more. —Adv.

SINCLAIR COUNTRY CLUB.

The Sinclair Country club met at the home of Mrs. Charles Bealmeir Wednesday afternoon with nearly all of the members present. Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Hemmings from Plaquemine were guests. New officers were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. Rich Robinson. Vice president—Mrs. Amos Swain. Secretary—Mrs. Minnie Wilson. Assistant secretary—Mrs. Clyde Martin.

Treasurer—Mrs. Clyde Bealmeir. After the business session the meeting enjoyed the following program:

Roll call—Current events. Submarines—Mrs. Richardson. Music—Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Bealmeir. Cake baking—Mrs. Addie Fox.

U. S. TURNING INDIANS INTO MEAT PRODUCERS.

Washington, April 6.—With the aid of Uncle Sam, who has been studying the question for many years, the Indians may yet make one of the biggest "comebacks" in history. If the despised redman again takes his place as the meat-producer of America, this return to prominence will solve the question of the Indian's destiny, it is believed by those who have the interests of the original Americans at heart.

"It is not only possible," says Cato Sells, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, "but entirely probable that the Indians will become the foremost herdsmen of America. The situation presents a business and industrial opportunity, the successful working out of which will go a long way towards solving the meat problem."

The Indian is peculiarly fitted to become national herdsman, it is held. He is a natural out-of-doors man. He is nearly always an expert rider and roper. He can train herds, both of cattle and horses, to a control which white men cannot duplicate. As shepherds, the Navajos care for their sheep with a fidelity unequalled among white sheep men.

Commissioner Sells is a lawyer, banker, agriculturist and scientific stockman. He knows farming and stock-raising and the sound value of securities based on farm land and stock. And he knows Indians. He bought and sold for them and from them before taking his present responsibility. In common with many others including President Wilson, Secretary Houston and Walter H. Page, ambassador to Great Britain, who have studied the subject, Mr. Sells also holds that only scientific agriculture will conserve the future of an America sure to double its population at no very distant date. And he thinks the Indians should have a part in this development—a logical, natural part.

The Department of Agriculture leans the question of meat supply one of the most serious confronting the country and has large plans for its solution. These include the much discussed diversification of Southern farming, with the introduction of livestock as a staple source of profit. But the Indian reservations offer a large opportunity to help the situation. Here are vast expanses upon which large herds may be maintained. The problem is to effect almost a revolution in the administration of these areas which will insure their maximum use, considering both the needs of the nation and the needs of the Indian.

To finance the plan of developing the Indian reservations as producing areas was not difficult. Many of the Indian tribes have large tribal savings which are under the control of the Commissioner. Others lacking cash have lands and timber that are first-rate security for loans.

The rapidity with which commercial results are possible thru the application of up-to-date stock raising methods upon Indian lands is easily shown by the following illustration. In 1913, the government agents bought 1,953 yearling Herefords and five bulls. In 1914, 120 bulls were bought, making a total of 2,073 head purchased in all, at a cost of \$100,000. The net profit in two years has been \$98,226.12. This report covers the government test on the Shoshone Reservation. With exception of the supervision given by the government superintendent and one white stockman, the Shoshone herd has been handled entirely by Indians.

Commissioner Sells began the campaign three years ago, when he ordered the elimination of the old or low-bred bulls, rams and stallions and limiting the lease to white cattlemen. Since that time some three millions of dollars have been expended, and the purchases were principally of blooded stock. The average value of the Indian horses and cattle has advanced remarkably. The Indians received last year from sale of stock over two millions, whereas in 1912 their income from their stock was only one and a half millions.

"It is a beginning towards remedying an economic crime," says Commissioner Sells. For years thousands of acres of prime Indian lands have served merely to graze tens of thousands of unsalable native ponies, scrub cattle, goats and burros. It costs as much to feed a worthless animal as it does a good one. Such a condition involves not only waste for the Indians but loss to the nation. The Indian grazing lands, together with agricultural lands in Indian ownership, will safely carry several times the number of livestock now on them."

TOM EDISON TESTS

TAX RAISE IN COURT.

Trenton, N. J., April 6.—A writ obtained by Thomas A. Edison from Chief Justice Gummere for a test of the validity of the action of the Essex county board of taxation in raising certain assessments on Edison property, is returnable tomorrow. Michael Majoran of Belleville, N. J., who brought the complaint under which Mr. Edison's valuation was raised \$19,000 on two plots of land, will be one of the witnesses.

A PROFITABLE TRIP

William Gaines, a thrifty dealer in Havana, started out a week ago with a team gathering up junk along the way. He took in everything that made any promise of profit and when he had a load he shipped it home from the nearest station and at the end of a week he informed a friend in this city that he had cleared \$75.00.

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PLEASANT GROVE.

Helen and Eva Dobson spent one afternoon last week with Mrs. Martha Fanning.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Tucker spent Tuesday in Jacksonville shopping.

Mrs. Mike Mahoney's condition remains unchanged; the family have taken her to Our Savior's hospital for treatment.

Ora Perkins spent Saturday and Sunday with Bryan Sheppard.

School will close Thursday with a picnic dinner for the children.

Geo. Soy and W. S. Fanning attended the Johnson Sheppard sale Wednesday.

Willard Hall resigned his place with B. L. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Dobson spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Mike Mahoney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gunn spent Monday with S. S. Sheppard and family.

Stella Claridy called on Helen and Eva Dobson and Mrs. Grace Tucker Friday afternoon.

Jack Fanning is working for J. W. Hull this spring.

Julian Sheppard spent Saturday with Luther Claridy.

Wm. Neighbors was a Jacksonville caller Monday.

Hannah Mahoney went to Jacksonville Wednesday, having dental work done.

Thos. Henry is assisting W. S. Fanning putting in tile.

Eva Dobson visited the school Wednesday afternoon.

WILL HOLD BARBECUE FOR FORMER SLAVES

Aniston, Ala., April 6.—The proposal of Judge George B. Randolph, United States commissioner, that the white people of Aniston get up a rousing barbecue for the former slaves and entertain every one of them in this section, has met with hearty approval. The big event will surely come off during the summer, and there will be plenty of music and some speeches. Judge Randolph has a warm place in his heart for the former slaves. "They are rapidly dying out," he says, "and their passing in many instances is only the culmination of long years of toil and poverty. But thru it all, in scores of instances, they proved their loyalty to old families in antebellum days. There was a time during and immediately following the war when these old slaves actually provided for and protected the women of many good old southern families. Now, before it is too late, it seems to me it would be a fitting thing to show them a mark of gratitude and to demonstrate that their loyalty is not forgotten."

OFF TO SIBERIAN PRISON CAMPS.

New York, April 6.—Rev. Dr. Fred P. Haggard, for sixteen years secretary of the American Baptist Foreign Mission society, sails today for Russia and Siberia, where he will work among the prison camps under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Dr. Haggard will have several men under his direction. His headquarters will be at Petrograd, to which city he is taking his wife and two sons, one of whom will have charge of a camp somewhere in Russia. Dr. Haggard was born in Illinois, and held pastorates in Iowa before entering the missionary field.

CASE TAKEN TO COUNTY COURT

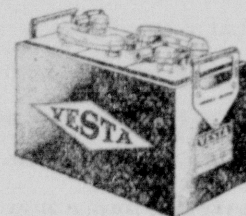
The case of Carl Divers charged with burglary and larceny was called before Justice Dyer Thursday. Divers is charged with robbing the cash drawer of the Cain warehouse on West Lafayette avenue. The boy, being only 16 years of age, the case was dismissed in the justice court and entered in the county court. The hearing was set for Saturday.

WILL MEET THIS EVENING

The official board and teams for the fellowship canvas to be made next Sunday afternoon will meet at 7:30 this evening at Grace church.

WOMAN'S CLUB

The regular meeting of the woman's Club will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at the Woman's College. Mrs. Marie White Longman of Chicago will render a beautiful program. Please note change of time and place of meeting. Present Woman's Club Tickets.



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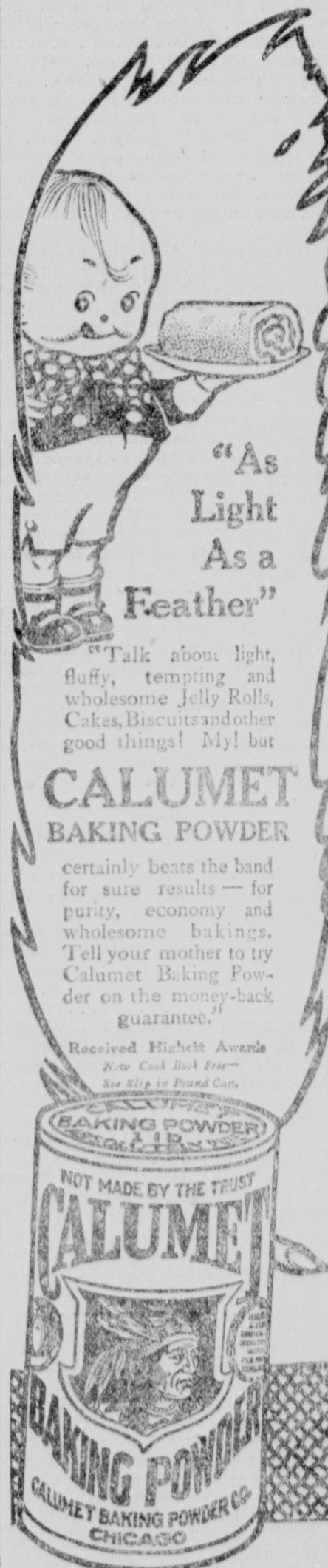
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WANTED TO RENT—Modern 7 or 8 room house West End. Address "AA" care Journal. 3-25-14
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"A SOUTHERN CINDERELLA" TO BE STAGED BY FRANKLIN PEOPLE

Play Will be Given April 22nd by Christian Church C. E. Society—Howard Teaney Had Birthday Party—Other News Notes.

A. J. Woods is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Seymour this week. Mrs. James B. Wright has returned home after a two months' stay with her mother, Mrs. Knepler. Mrs. Knepler's condition remains about the same.

A number of high school students and friends of Miss Maude Hulse gave a party in honor of her birthday Friday evening at the Marquette club rooms. A number of old fashioned games were played and the evening was enjoyed by all. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Gaynelle Olinger, Maude Hulse, Beatrice Anderson, Alma Leak, Ruby Clark, Edith Clark, Frances Morris, Mildred Tribble, Blanche Harney, Lola Austin, Clamango Topliff, Martha Dowell, Hallie and Grace Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roberts, Messrs. Harry Olinger, Tristen Stewart, Lloyd Read, Cullen Gates, Oris Gean-Wayne Gates, Ivan Gray, Byron Woods, Orville Burnett, and George Woods.

Chas. A. Armstrong returned Tuesday from a business trip to Virginia, Illinois.

In the race Tuesday for road commissioner, Newton Woods was chosen for the coming terms, winning by a difference of seven votes. Otto Spires was close second while John Votsmeir occupied the third place.

Geo. Dalton of the east side is in poor health, having been kept in bed the past few days.

The Christian Woman's Board of Missions met with their president, Mrs. Ella Stewart, Wednesday afternoon. The meeting was an interesting one there being a goodly number of the members present. Those present were Mesdames Clara Tribby, Mary Elder, Nell Foster, Pamela Boulware, Lillie Armstrong, Mattie Violet, Della Wynn, Duane Jones, Maud Reese, Jennie Morris, Lula Sweet and Miss Annie Bateman.

Howard Teaney was very agreeably surprised Wednesday by the members of the High School basketball team, in honor of his eighteenth birthday. Those present were Misses Hallie Armstrong, Edith Clark, Blanche Harney, Lora Teaney, Alma Leak, Lola Austin and Grace Armstrong, Messrs. Norman Seymour, Howard Teaney, Oris Gray, Cullen Gates, Byron Woods, Orville Burnett and Russell Wynn.

The members of the Endeavor Society of the Christian church are practicing on a play entitled, "A Southern Cinderella," to be given on the 22nd of April. The play has a good plot and promises to be an interesting production. The cast is as follows:

Enid Bellamy, "A Southern Cinderella"—Miss Frances Morris.
Johnnie Bell Randolph—Miss Hallie Armstrong.
Madame Chateris—Miss Lou Duncan.
Rosie Winterberry, a settlement worker—Miss Lola Austin.
Katherine Hawke, an English nurse—Miss Grace Armstrong.
Caroline Hawke, an adventuress—Miss Grace Hill.
Mammy Judy, a widow four times removed—Miss Chattie Duncan.

TOWNSHIP TREASURERS ADVISED OF DISTRIBUTIVE FUND

Supt. Vasconcellos Sends Out Letter Showing Amount Due to Each Township.

Township treasurers have been advised by a letter sent to them by Supt. H. H. Vasconcellos, the amount of money apportioned to them from the distributive school fund of the state. The basis of distribution is \$.80 for each child under 21 years of age reported in the township. Warrants are now ready for the treasurers.

The distributive fund statement is as follows:

Receipts.	
Balance on hand April 1,	1916
Amount of auditor's warrant, school tax fund	19,023.59
Interest on auditor's warrant	324.82
Total receipts	\$19,371.62
Amount withheld to pay high school tuition	8,576.00
Amount for distribution	\$10,795.62

By Amount Due Township Treasurer

Disbursement.	
W. A. Dennis	13-8 912 \$729.60
Oscar Burnett	14-8 223 178.40
J. W. Hall	15-8 221 176.80
E. A. Walbaum	16-8 128 102.40
M. S. Seymour	13-9 374 299.20
G. E. Brown	14-9 621 496.80
G. M. Graff	15-9 284 227.20
J. W. Martin	16-9 336 268.80
W. A. Wesner	13-10 573 458.40
C. C. Self	14-10 435 348.00
F. M. Dunlap	15-10 570 456.00
F. B. Henderson	16-10 349 279.20
R. H. Walton	13-11 188 150.40
J. G. Haton	14-11 265 212.00
J. W. Lazemoy	15-11 278 222.40
L. P. Cowdin	16-11 514 411.20
T. U. Markham	15-12 237 261.60
E. J. Brookhouse	16-12 288 230.40
W. J. Hale	16-13 502 401.60
C. B. Graff, Jacksonville	502 486.80
Balance on hand April 1	10,779.20
Balance on hand April 1	16.42
	\$10,795.62

Pate Todd of Petersburg has been making a few days' visit with friends in the city.

TWO WILLS PLACED ON RECORD WITH COUNTY CLERK

Mrs. Matilda Hook Gave Bulk of Property to Trinity Church—William B. Markham Left Large Estate.

The wills of Mrs. Matilda C. Hook and William B. Markham were filed for probate in the office of the county clerk Thursday.

The will of Mrs. Hook was dated Sept. 17, 1909 and was witnessed by Dr. T. O. Hardesty and Dr. H. L. Griswold. James H. Danskin is appointed executor.

After providing for the payment of all just debts and funeral expenses and the building of a monument in Diamond Grove not to exceed in cost \$500. The will then provides for a bequest of \$500 each to Florence Roberts Henderson of Far Rockaway, New York, and William Reed Henderson of Rich Hill, Mo. The furniture and pictures are bequeathed to her niece, Miss Francis Hook and those not disposed of by her are to be sold and the proceeds turned into the general estate. The remainder of the property both real and personal is bequeathed to the vestry of Trinity Episcopal church of Jacksonville. Two hundred dollars to be held in trust and invested and the interest to be used in caring for the cemetery lot. The revenue of the remainder is to be used for the support of the church.

The will of William B. Markham was made July 5, 1900 and was witnessed by Otto P. Dahman and John H. Eller. Thomas W. Markham a son, is made executor. After providing for the payment of all just debts and funeral expenses the testator bequeaths to his wife, Harriet J. Markham for her use during her natural life, all the residue of land in 15-10, excepting fifty acres which has been laid out in town lots, and at her death it is to be sold and the proceeds divide equally between the children. All town lots in Chapin, land in Iowa and all land elsewhere except that described above are bequeathed to his wife to sell or dispose of as she may see fit. At the death of the wife it is the desire of the testator that all property, both real and personal then remaining be sold and the proceeds divided equally between the children.

RECITALS TO BE GIVEN

A student's recital will be given this afternoon at 4 o'clock in Recital Hall at the Academy. In the evening a recital will be given by the advance pupils. The public is cordially invited.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

John J. Rankin, Virden, Muriel Kennedy, Virden.

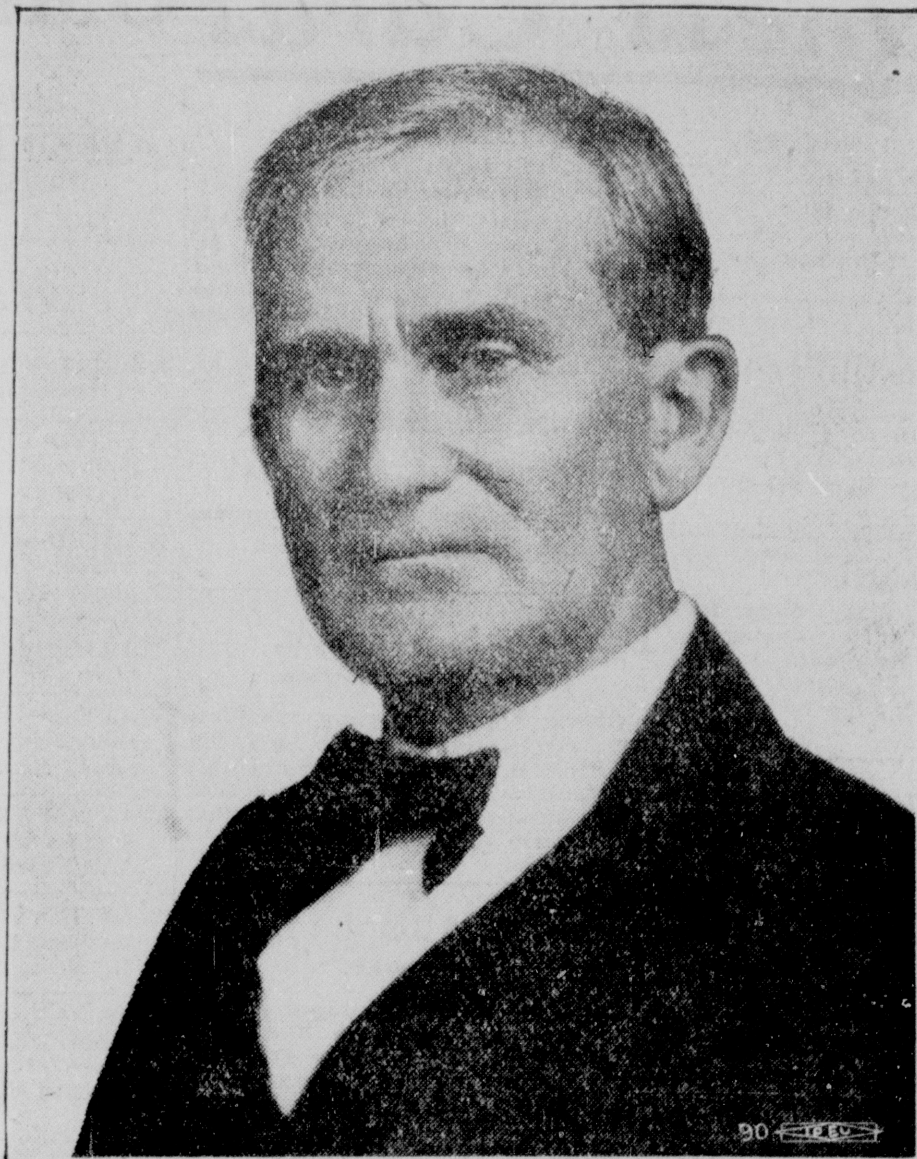
NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

State of Illinois,)
County of Morgan) ss.
In the Circuit Court of Morgan County, to the May Term, A. D. 1916, thereof.

Samuel B. Powers, Complainant, vs. Cora Sappington, Banie Sappington, James Fuson, Pearl Fuson, Ralph Fuson, Julia Cline, Edgar Cline, Mary Powers, Josephine Powers, Harry Powers, Roy Powers, Nellie Perkins, Floyd Perkins, Ruth Howard, Ernest Howard, Arthur Powers, Maude Powers, John Rolfs, Wm. Christman, unknown heirs and devisees of Wm. Christman, Perry Washington Crissman, alias Washington Perry Christman; Adelia N. Blake-man as executrix of the last will and testament of Joshua Sprague, deceased; Lindsay Lake, Aaron Lake, the unknown heirs and devisees of Aaron Lake; the unknown heirs and devisees of Aaron Lake; the unknown wife or widow of John Mara, alias John Marah, alias John Marh; the unknown wife or widow of David Crawford; the unknown heirs and devisees of Perry Washington Crissman, alias Washington Perry Christman; the unknown wife or widow of Perry Washington Crissman alias Washington Perry Christman; Ozro Huddleson, alias Ozro Huddleson; Lucy A. Huddleson, Francis L. Huddleson, the unknown owners of the North East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Thirty (30), Township Sixteen (16) North and Range Twelve (12) West of the Third Principal Meridian, in Morgan County, Illinois, Defendants.
Bill to Quiet Title.

Affidavit of non-residence of Lindsay Lake, Aaron Lake, Perry Washington Crissman, alias Washington Perry Christman, Wm. Christman, the unknown heirs and devisees of Lindsay Lake, the unknown heirs and devisees of Perry Washington Crissman, alias Washington Perry Christman, the unknown heirs and devisees of Wm. Christman, the unknown wife or widow of John Mara, alias John Marah, alias John Marh, the unknown wife or widow of David Crawford, the unknown wife or widow of Perry Washington Crissman, alias Washington Perry Christman, Ozro Huddleson, alias Ozro Huddleson, Lucy A. Huddleson, the unknown owners of the North East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Thirty (30), Township Sixteen (16) North and Range Twelve (12) West of the Third Principal Meridian in Morgan County, Illinois; Mary Powers, Josephine Powers, Harry Powers, Roy Powers, Nellie Perkins, Floyd Perkins, Pearl Russell, Fred Russell, Ruth Howard, Ernest Howard, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Morgan County.

Notice is hereby given to the said named non-resident defendants that the complainant heretofore filed his



For President

SEN. LAWRENCE Y. SHERMAN

For Delegates to the Republican National Convention:

HOMER J. TICE of Menard County.

FRANK J. HEINL of Morgan County.

For Alternates to the Republican National Convention

ELMER E. SIMPSON of Greene County.

I. G. BAIR of Cass County.

Senator Sherman's Message to the Republican Voters of the 20th Congressional District.

"In accord with resolutions adopted at the Republican conference in Jacksonville, Jan. 5, 1916, I selected as delegates to the Republican National Convention, Homer J. Tice of Menard County, and Frank J. Heinl, of Morgan County, and as alternates to said convention Elmer E. Simpson, of Greene County, and I. G. Bair of Cass County, and so announced in the Chicago papers on Feb. 4, together with those named in other Illinois districts and expressed in the following telegram my request that the Republicans of the state support these men:

"They are my choice and are the result of the efforts of my friends and myself to unite all who are affiliated with the Republican party and to secure harmony and our full strength for 1916. I ask the support of all my friends for the candidates named."

"I adhere to this request and ask my friends to go to the primaries and support the men named as delegates and alternates."

Washington, D. C., March 20, 1916.

[Signed]

L. Y. SHERMAN

Primaries Tuesday, April 11th.

(Political Advertisement.)

bill in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, and that a writ of summons issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1916, as is by law required. Now, unless the said Lindsay Lake, Aaron Lake, Perry Washington Crissman, alias Washington Perry Christman, Wm. Christman, the unknown heirs and devisees of Lindsay Lake, the unknown heirs and devisees of Perry Washington Crissman, alias Washington Perry Christman, the unknown heirs and devisees of Wm. Christman, the unknown wife or widow of John Mara, alias John Marah, alias John Marh, the unknown wife or widow of David Crawford, the unknown wife or widow of Perry Washington Crissman, alias Washington Perry Christman, Ozro Huddleson, alias Ozro Huddleson, Lucy A. Huddleson, the unknown owners of the North East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Thirty (30), Township Sixteen (16) North and Range Twelve (12) West of the Third Principal Meridian in Morgan County, Illinois, Defendants, do appear before said Circuit Court of Morgan County on the first day of a term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the City of Jacksonville, Morgan County, Illinois, on the second Monday in May, A. D. 1916, to plead, answer, or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

Eugene D. Pyatt,
Clerk.
Kirby, Wilson & Brookhouse,
Solicitors for Complainant.

THURSDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.

Met at noon.
Voted down, 36 to 34, the Lee amendment to eliminate the federal volunteer provision of the army bill.
Recessed at 5:30 p. m. to noon Friday.

House.

Met at 11 a. m.
Meat packers opposed Borland inquiry resolution before judiciary sub-committee.
Debate continued on rivers and harbors appropriation bill.
Adjourned at 5:30 p. m. until 11 a. m. Friday.

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LARGE AUDIENCE ATTENDS BENEFIT CONCERT THURSDAY.

Program Is Given at Franklin School for Funds for Pictures and Books for Morton School.

A large and appreciative audience attended the benefit concert given at the Franklin school Thursday night. The entertainment was arranged for by Miss Gussie Duffner, a teacher in the Morton school, and the proceeds will be used to buy pictures and books for that school. The program follows:

Piano solo, Gavotte in E Minor...
Mr. Joseph Becker.
Vocal—Songs My Mother Taught Me...
Snowflake...
The Mad Dog...
Mr. Albert Strausser.
Reading—The Littlest Rebel...
Mrs. Janette Powell.
Violin solo, Andante Religioso...
Hollaender concerto...
Mr. Byron Carpenter.
Vocal—In the Day I Get to Heaven...
The Bow Leg Boy...
Marching Along Maude Valene White...
Mr. Albert Strausser.
Accompanists—Miss Marguerite Butler, Mrs. E. C. Carpenter.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many friends especially our neighbors for the many acts of kindness during the illness and after the death of our son and brother, also for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McNamara and Family.

On page 31 of this week's SATURDAY EVENING POST will be seen three of the many desirable hats shown by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

POSITION AT HOPPERS.

Floyd Butterfield has returned from Wisconsin where he was employed by a rubber manufacturing company and has taken a position in the shoe store of Hopper & Son.



THE TEXAS WONDER cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States to Dr. E. W. Hall, 225 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

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3 cans Corn 25c
3 cans Peas 25c
2 large cans Apricots 25c
2 large cans Peaches 25c
3 lbs. Navy Beans 25c
3 lbs. Head Rice 25c
3 cans String Beans 25c
3 large cans Milk 25c
3 large cans Sardines 25c
6 cans Oil Sardines 25c
8 bars Lenox Soap 25c
6 bars Ben Hur Soap 25c
6 bars Sunny Monday Soap 25c
Sauer Kraut, per gal. 20c

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PRINCESS CANDY COMPANY WILL OPEN NEW STORE SATURDAY

Money Spent Liberally in Equipping Fine Establishment Now to Have Permanent Place in Business District.

Saturday the Princess Candy company will open for business in the Kirby building, 29 South side square. The company which includes Christus Geanetos, Basil Geanetos and Thomas Calley, was recently formed for the very purpose of carrying on this business. With ample capital and experience it is very certain that a prosperous firm has been added to the business life of Jacksonville.

As soon as the lease was made with Judge Kirby preparations were begun for the completion of the establishment, which will be open to the public tomorrow. Specialists were consulted and as a result the establishment will be a revelation to the people of Jacksonville and vicinity. The entire lower floor has been covered with mosaic tiling and constitutes the largest surface of this expensive work in Jacksonville. The finish is all in mahogany, and the show cases are of the finest plate glass made of the sanitary dustless type.

Handsome Interior.

The furniture and fixtures in the ice cream parlor are especially handsome and the decorations in this part of the establishment are also very handsome. For weeks the well known artist, J. W. Achenback, has been at work there and the panels which completely cover both sides of the room afford the best kind of testimony of his artistic sense and skill. Included are landscape scenes which are of remarkable excellence and all these pictures done in oil are in accord with the artistic plans carried out by the owners. There has evidently been no intention of stinting expenditure and there certainly is something to show for the thousands which have been invested by the Princess Candy company. The fountain, which is just at the left as one enters the store, is very handsome and is complete in every detail. A steam table is a part of the equipment and this is an adjunct for the luncheonette service which is to be regularly maintained. It will be possible to secure an excellent lunch there at any hour of the day and until midnight.

Lighting a Feature.

The display windows have also been decorated in a handsome way and will be maintained as a feature of the store. The new metal ceiling has been handsomely painted and particular attention has been given to the lighting. There are six large Brascollites, and which in addition to one cluster, will make the interior brilliant indeed.

The large basement, which is all concreted, is to be used for the manufacturing of ice cream and the candy shop and work room are on the third floor. Everything about the establishment is new and modern and it is the intention of the proprietors to have everything of the most sanitary type complying with all pure food regulations.

For the opening Saturday a large number of young lady assistants have been secured and flowers will be given away as souvenirs. Visitors will all be welcome and will be shown all thru the establishment, which is well worth a visit. In addition to the other lines of business already mentioned the Princess company will be fully prepared for catering work.

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The White Hall Orphans' Home society has a boy 4 years old; two, 6; one, 7; two, 8; one, 9; one, 10; two, 12; one, 15, and one, 16 years old to place in family homes. Also girls aged 8, 10 and 16 years old, besides 10 or 12 other boys and girls, expected in a few days. This society accepts children who are all right mentally and physically for placement, ranging in ages from small babies up to 16 years old. Do not hesitate to take a child because it may be younger than desired for the purpose you have in mind. A child 5 to 8 years old or younger is more adaptable than one 10 to 15, apt to remain until of legal age and prove more satisfactory in many ways.

Write for an application blank, fill carefully and file promptly if child is desired.

W. J. Roberts, Supt.,
White Hall, Ill.

RAY N. ANDERSON of Pittsfield.

Asks your vote. He is a candidate for member of the Republican state central committee from this district. —(Adv.)

ATTENDING MEETING OF CHICAGO SURGEONS.

Dr. F. A. Norris and Dr. J. W. Haingrove are in Chicago attending a meeting of the Chicago Surgical society. Several physicians of prominence were scheduled to appear on the program and tonight there was to be a dinner at the Sherman hotel.

SAMUEL O. SAVAGE, of Tallula.

Is a candidate for delegate to the National Republican convention from this district. Your support is asked. —(Adv.)

Miss Emma Harvey of White Hall has for the past two days been visiting her cousin, Miss May Lillian Graves on South East street.

OBITUARY.

Paul Joseph McNamara died at the home of his parents, 827 Goltra avenue, Sunday, April 2, after an illness of about six months' duration.

The deceased was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McNamara and was born in Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 8, 1898, being at the time of his death 17 years, 3 months and 24 days of age. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McNamara and six brothers, William, Edward, Andrew, Matthew, John and Charles, and one sister, Kathryn.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at the Church of Our Savior. High mass was said, the Rev. Father Formaz officiating. Burial was in Calvary cemetery, the bearers being Eugene Maloney, Arthur Harmon, Clarence Dollear, Austin and Charles Loneragan and Charles Montgomery. The beautiful floral offerings were in charge of Miss Mae Hoban and Miss Anne Flynn.

The deceased received his early education at the parochial school in this city and during the past year was a student in the commercial department of the Jacksonville high school. He was also a violin student of Miss Minnie Hoffman and his musical ability was very promising.

Paul was a quiet, sweet disposition and was much loved by all who knew him especially his young friends with whom he associated.

"His sun hath gone down while it was yet day" is a fit quotation for one who had to go at time when life seemed to mean so much but "The Lord sendeth all things even death because nothing else would do as well."

RAY N. ANDERSON of Pittsfield.

Asks your vote. He is a candidate for member of the Republican state central committee from this district. —(Adv.)

DR. A. C. PIERALS IS NAMED M. E. DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

Urbana Minister Succeeds Late Rev. Preston Wood—Well Known in This City.

Announcement was made yesterday by Bishop McDowell and officers of the Illinois conference of the M. E. church who were in session at Bloomington, of the appointment of Dr. A. C. Pierals to fill the office of district superintendent of the Springfield district to succeed the late Rev. Preston Wood. Dr. Pierals is now the pastor of the M. E. church at Urbana. He is a member of the board of trustees of Illinois Woman's college and is quite well known in Jacksonville. He was here a few weeks since to conduct a series of services at the college. His appointment it is believed will meet with general approbation.

Rev. W. D. Fairchild, pastor of the M. E. church at Clinton was appointed superintendent of the Danville district.

SAMUEL O. SAVAGE, of Tallula.

is a candidate for delegate to the National Republican convention from this district. Your support is asked. —(Adv.)

FUNERALS

Long.

The funeral of Mrs. Susanna Long was held Thursday forenoon at 11 o'clock at the Arcadia church, in charge of the Rev. Baxter Hale, with a large number of friends in attendance. Music was furnished by the choir of Grace Chapel church. Burial was made in Arcadia church cemetery with six nephews of the deceased serving as bearers.

Wiley.

The funeral rites for Dr. Lewis D. Wiley were held Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the family home in New Berlin with friends and former neighbors of the deceased present in large number. The Rev. A. W. Judd, pastor of the Baptist church, had charge of the service. Music was furnished by Thomas Fox, with Miss Nelle Taylor at the piano. Interment was made in Wood Wreath cemetery. The bearers were C. D. Randall, C. E. Darley and S. E. Cussins of Franklin; Charles Burcham and Louis Lemon, Mechanicsburg, and J. P. Whiting, Mewan, all members of the Masonic order. C. P. Ross of Jacksonville had charge of the Masonic service at the grave. Floral tributes were under the care of Mrs. M. E. Slaughter, Jacksonville, and Miss Nelle Taylor.

Page 31 this week's SATURDAY EVENING POST are shown the pictures of three styles of hats sold by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

MATRIMONIAL

Laudeback-Connell. Cards have been received by friends here announcing the marriage at Kansas City of Harley C. Laudeback and Miss Caroline Connell. The bride is the daughter of Dr. Joseph R. Connell formerly of this city. They will be at home at 312 Mannheim Road, Kansas City after May 15.

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—Fifty Cents—
LANE'S BARGAIN BOOK STORE.

SCHOONER BREAKING UP. Norfolk, Va., April 6.—The three masted schooner Elsie A. Baylen, which stranded near New Inlet coast guard station yesterday is breaking up according to reports received here tonight. The vessel is 100 yards off shore. Her decks are submerged.

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SOUVENIRS SATURDAY

A large number of young ladies will assist on the opening day and flowers will be given as souvenirs to all visitors.

Come, visit the store and see what an attractive place has been added to Jacksonville business houses

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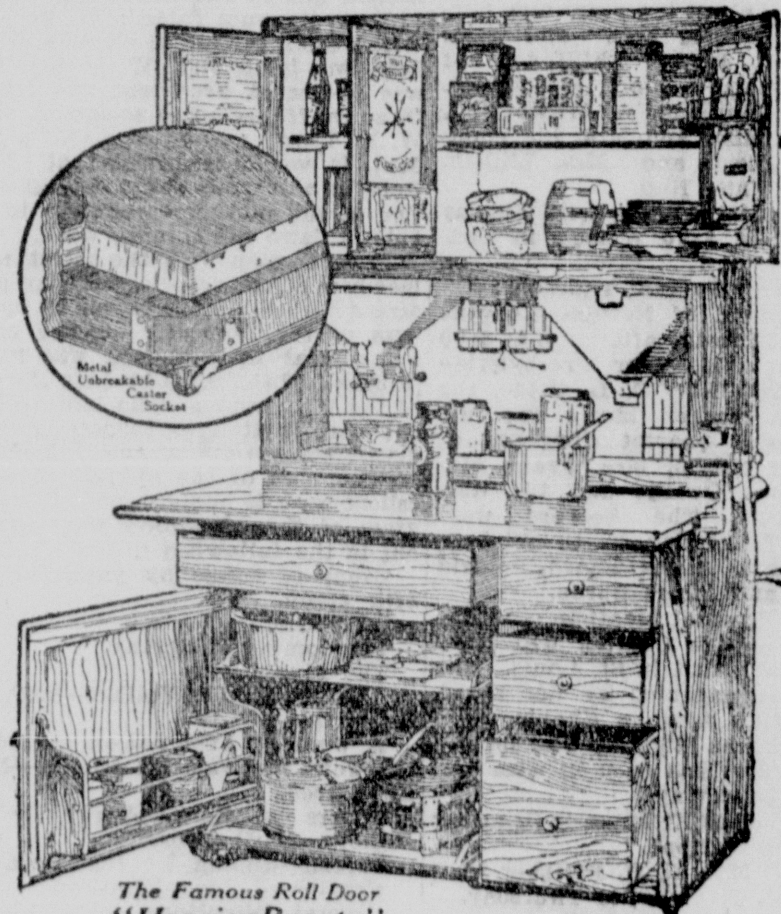
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3. Linen Suitings—natural colors and narrow stripes—worth 20c yard.

42c yard
4. White Linen Momic Suitings. 45 inches wide—worth 60c yard.

39c yard
5. Children's White Dresses, stamped for embroidery—regular 50c grade.

19c each
6. Pillow Cases for baby pillows—stamped ready to work.

9c pair
7. Dress Shields, sizes 2 and 3. A good shield to wear.

7½c each
8. Choice of Tooth Brushes—worth to 15c—good wearers.

25c yard
9. Wool Dress Goods, in plaids and plains—worth to 50c.

33c yard
10. White Squares in hemstitch—ed edge and heavy linen lace—worth 50c—must close out.

One Day Only ← → Friday, April 6th

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WHITE HALL CITIZEN DIES THURSDAY IN WINCHESTER

John Shillinger Passes Away at
Home of Son—Burial Will be
Made Sunday at Concord.

Winchester, Ill., April 6.—John Shillinger died at the home of his son, John Shillinger, Jr., Thursday morning at 5 o'clock. Mr. Shillinger had been for some time ill at his home in White Hall and was brought to Winchester about ten days ago. He was born in 1833 in Burkes county, Pennsylvania and spent most of his life in Concord, removing to White Hall about ten years ago. Surviving are three sons and three daughters, James Shillinger of Quincy, John, Jr., of Winchester, and Fred Shillinger of White Hall, Mrs. Ed Collier and Mrs. Ida Humiston of Peoria and Mrs. William Clark of White Hall.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Concord.

Redwine Funeral Thursday.
The funeral of Newton Redwine was held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Winchester Presbyterian church, with Rev. O. L. Pride, the pastor, in charge. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. Earl Nelson, Mrs. Frank Mason, George Owings and the Rev. O. L. Pride. The bearers were Douglas Tankersley, T. C. Wisdom, Lee Gaither, Albert Ezard, David Cowhick and Albert Burns.

Personal Mention.
Miss Caroline Coultas will leave Friday for a visit in St. Louis. She will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Andrew Allen of Chapin.

Miss Martha Higgins, who for the past few days has been ill with tonsillitis is improving.

Mrs. Thomas Kirkman is ill at her home with lagraisse.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Fletcher were visitors in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mrs. J. C. Neat and Chester Neat returned Wednesday night from an extended visit in Florida and Cuba.

Mrs. James Beddingfield and Mrs. George Willis of Alsey were visitors in Winchester Thursday.

TIRE CHAIN CHANCE.

Coming next week, April 10 to 16, your opportunity to buy Rid-o-Skid Tire chains at the following prices:
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BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The regular meeting of the Missionary society of the First Baptist church was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Joseph Shreve at her home on South Main street. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Gard and the leader of the afternoon was Mrs. Hocking. Several interesting articles on the subject, "Our Pioneer Missionaries in Asia and Africa," were read by Mrs. J. P. Brown, Mrs. Dennis Schram and Mrs. Gard. A vocal solo was given by Miss Goltz, with Mrs. A. G. Burr as accompanist.

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JUSTICE OF PEACE DECIDES CONSTITUTIONALITY OF LAW.

Earl Taylor was before Justice Henderson on the charge of bringing liquor into Jacksonville. Taylor was arrested under the provisions of the ordinance which provides a penalty for the bringing of liquor into the corporate limits of Jacksonville. Justice Henderson after hearing the evidence released Taylor and declared the ordinance invalid and unconstitutional. It is not often that a justice court rules on the question of constitutionality.

PUBLIC SALE.
of household goods Friday, April 7, 2:30 p. m., at 202 Kentucky street, W. A. Mason.

William Sullivan and Miss Elizabeth Sullivan of New Berlin spent the day Thursday at the home of their aunt, Mrs. F. J. Kaiser of Alexander.

PARENT-TEACHERS ORGANIZATION CHOOSE OFFICERS.

Large Attendance at Fourth Ward Meeting—Address by Rev. M. L. Pontius.

The Parent-Teachers' association of the Washington school held a very interesting session Thursday afternoon. The exercises included an address by Rev. M. L. Pontius, whose theme was "Child Welfare." The speaker referred to a number of incidents in his own family and in the experiences of persons with whom he is familiar, and the address proved one of helpfulness. Following the program a social hour was enjoyed and the candy sale held in connection was so successful that about \$10 was the sum raised. At the business session the annual election of officers was held. Mrs. W. D. Roberts, was re-elected president and Mrs. Owen Graff re-elected secretary. Mrs. W. B. Young was chosen vice president. It was determined that Mrs. Roberts will represent the association at the mothers' congress to be held in Cairo the coming week.

In connection with the social hour members of the association were presented with table tea towels by members of the domestic science class and a neat little speech was made in behalf of the girls by Lois Harney of the fifth grade. The ladies present were invited to inspect the domestic science room and equipment and were all of the opinion that excellent work is being done. The program of the afternoon was carried out in the following order:

Group of songs by pupils of the fifth grade.

I Wonder.

The Coming of Spring.

The Blue Birds.

Address, Child Welfare—Rev. M. L. Pontius.

A word of explanation regarding the work in domestic science—Miss Elsie Reed.

Papers by the pupils:

Cloth—Cecil Templin.

Thread—Emma Louise Lewis.

Needles—Louise Wintler.

General Directions for Sewing—Mary Katherine Montgomery.

Needle Cases—Mary Ethel Hamilton.

Spoon Cases—Gladys Hurst.

What We Have Accomplished in the Fifth Grade—Portia Brockman.

Sewing Aprons—Elizabeth A. new.

How to Set the Table—Vivian Skinner.

What the Sixth Grade Girls Have Learned—Elizabeth Boruff.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK.

Savings deposits made during the first ten days of April will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

IMPROVEMENTS AT FRANKLIN.

Franklin Times: With the planting of a few more trees by property owners in Franklin this spring, the adornment of home grounds with shrubbery and flowers the putting of the streets and alleys in good condition and other improvements that will be going on the village will present an appearance that will be pleasing to the eye as well as give us a touch of pride which every citizen should always feel in his home town. Franklin has the reputation of being a wide awake, bustling village and we want to live up to it.

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AT MUSIC HALL.

Owing to the continued illness of Mrs. R. M. Day, the third violin and piano Sonata evening, which was scheduled for Friday evening, April 7th, has been postponed. A definite date will be announced later.

On Sunday afternoon, April 9th, will occur the recital of Mt. Stearns' Vesper Organ. The program will be a popular one and all are cordially invited to attend. A definite announcement of the program will be made shortly.

PLAY NETS GOOD SUM.
"Me An' Otis" the play given by three organized classes of Litterberry Christian church Wednesday night, was well patronized, netting twenty-eight dollars. The audience was well pleased by the able manner in which the comedy was presented.

Ladies' silk sweater coats, new assortment, at Tom Inliff's.

REV. MR. FLAGG SPEAKS ON VALUE OF STRONG FAITH

Faith Is a Germ Which, Nurtured Properly, Will Grow to Mighty Power—Three Accessions at Centenary Revival Thursday Night.

"Lord, Increase Our Faith," Luke 17:15, was the text of a helpful discourse on the great need of a faith which will endure tribulation, by the Rev. G. W. Flagg Thursday night at the revival service at Centenary M. E. church. The sermon was followed by a solo by Mr. Moon entitled "Faith Will Bring the Blessing Every Time." Mr. Moon and A. C. Metcalf sang a duet before the sermon, "Drifting Over Life's Sea." There were three accessions to the church membership.

Tonight a feature of the service will be the singing of the men's chorus, also antiphonal singing by the men's and women's choruses.

Following are the morning prayer meeting announcements:

Mrs. Stice, 336 East State street; leader, Mrs. Moon.

Mrs. Richard Dodsworth, 610 South East street; Mrs. Naylor, leader.

Mrs. Mary Sieber, 851 North Prairie street; Mrs. Abbott, leader.

Mrs. Austin King, 847 South Main street; Mrs. Boston, leader.

The prayer meeting subject will be "Fruit Bearing."

At the evening service the pastor said in part:

In answer to this prayer by the Apostle Jesus indicated that faith is a germ that will grow into a mighty power in our lives. In the book of Job we can see faith growing in a man from a feeble hope for vindication in eternity to the great certainty of seeing his Vindicator face to face.

Full grown faith brings immediate results of the utmost importance, as manifested by Elijah on Mount Carmel when he called down fire on his sacrifice, while the 400 priests of Baal could not.

But faith can reach out beyond this life, and into the life of others, even on earth, as it did in Abraham's case, who claimed a country for his descendants where they could worship God as they desired.

We must have faith to measure up to Christ's standard. The need for that we will feel as did the Apostles when we face His standard of forgiveness, "until seventy times seven." But even to that high standard we can attain if we let Him plant in us the germ of faith, and then keep it growing.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who assisted us so kindly during the illness and death of our husband and father, also for the many beautiful floral remembrances.

Mrs. Mary Withee and Family.

FRANKLIN VILLAGE BOARD.

An ordinance forbidding vagrancy was passed at the regular meeting of the village board of Franklin Tuesday night, the president declining to approve the ordinance as the measure was brought up at the last meeting of the present board. The matter will probably be taken up by the incoming board. Judges and clerks were named for the April election. Bills amounting to \$212.79 were ordered paid.

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ARENZVILLE RESIDENCE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

The large residence of L. C. Hackman, a mile north of Arenzville, was destroyed by fire Thursday morning. The furniture below was saved and a part of the things in the second story. The wind was fortunately in a favorable direction to save the barns and other outbuildings. The cause of the fire is not known.

Little Miss Editha Adams of Vreden was in the city Thursday en route to Jerseyville to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wells.

MRS. SARAH DIMMITT HAS CLOSED A LONG AND USEFUL LIFE

Death Came Thursday Morning after
An Illness of Two Weeks—Long
Identified with Methodist Church.

It is not often that such a spirit as that of Mrs. Sarah Dimmitt, whose death occurred Thursday, is given to the world. Mrs. Dimmitt had lived for more than eighty-six years and yet thru all that long life's journey she maintained a cheerfulness of mind, a devotion to religious work, and an interest in every day affairs which made her character notable. The troubles and cares which are certain to come to a Methodist minister's wife belonged to Mrs. Dimmitt, but to her was given the ability to minimize the unpleasant things of life and to lay emphasis upon the larger and better things which she felt sure the future held. Mrs. Dimmitt had been weak in body but not in mind for several years past but the final illness which caused her death about 10:15 o'clock Thursday morning was of but two weeks' duration.

Born in Ohio.
It was October 14, 1829, that Mrs. Dimmitt, whose maiden name was Sarah Louise Rush, was born at Clarksburg, Ohio. When she was a child of nine years she went with her parents to Perryville, Ind., and two years later the family moved to Hinman Prairie, a neighborhood settlement about four miles southwest of Perry in Pike county, this state. There were no public schools at that early time and after some years of home training the young woman attended an academy at Griggsville, when Rev. A. S. McCoy was the president. Afterward she was a student at a young ladies' academy at Barry. April 12, 1853, her marriage to Rev. J. P. Dimmitt was solemnized, the ceremony taking place at the family home. At that time Mr. Dimmitt was a local preacher and the year following he was admitted to the conference and the first charge was in Quincy. Then Mr. Dimmitt served Barry circuit, Perry station, Perry circuit, Griggsville, Pittsfield and Griggsville district.

Because of ill health he was superannuated in 1868 and spent some time in Kansas. But regaining his health he returned to Illinois and again took up work with the conference, serving among other charges Quincy, Decatur, Clinton and West Jacksonville. Ill health resulted in another change in 1887, when Mr. and Mrs. Dimmitt went to Texas and he filled the pulpit of the Fort Worth Methodist church. The year following he spent in work at the Austin conference and in 1889 organized the first charge at Iowa Park. In 1890 the family returned to Illinois and Mr. Dimmitt resumed his work under the direction of Illinois conference. His death occurred in this city in 1895, and interment took place at Hebron cemetery, where Mrs. Dimmitt is to be laid to rest.

Devoted to Religious Work.
The outline of Rev. Mr. Dimmitt's work is recorded here because his wife was an integral part of that important work. Thru all the years she was his devoted and able helper and much of the success which attended his various pastorates was due to her. Mrs. Dimmitt lived her Christianity daily and the faithfulness and sincerity of her beliefs were so apparent that in each church served she was recognized as a co-worker and equal with her husband. She united with the Methodist church while young and for many years had been affiliated with Centenary church here.

Mrs. Dimmitt's history ran closely to that of Methodism for it is related that her grandfather's home in Ohio was one of the meeting houses where Bishop Asbury held services. He was the first of all the bishops in the United States and his memory is revered as is that of John Wesley of Methodism in the United States.

Mrs. Dimmitt is survived by one son and four daughters, George R. Dimmitt of Brant, Alberta, Canada; Mrs. Emma Swain, wife of J. C. Swain of Sinclair; Miss Della Dimmitt of this city; Miss Lillie Dimmitt, a professor at Morningside college, Sioux City, Iowa, and Mrs. Lucy D. Kolp of this city. There are seven grandchildren, John D. Swain, Clay Swain, Horace Swain, Harry Swain, John B. Kolp, James R. Kolp and Frances Kolp. Three brothers and one sister also survive, Jerome W. Rush, Griggsville; Allen C. Rush, Los Angeles, Cal.; John W. Rush, Proctor, Texas, and Miss Lucy Rush, Los Angeles, Cal.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed as word is awaited from relatives.

FINAL EXAMINATIONS TODAY

Two Hundred and Fifty Will Take Test in County Schools.

Two hundred and fifty pupils of the Morgan county schools will take final examinations today, it was announced Thursday by H. H. Vasconcellos, the county superintendent.

Examinations will be held in fifteen schools, under direction of the respective teachers, as follows:

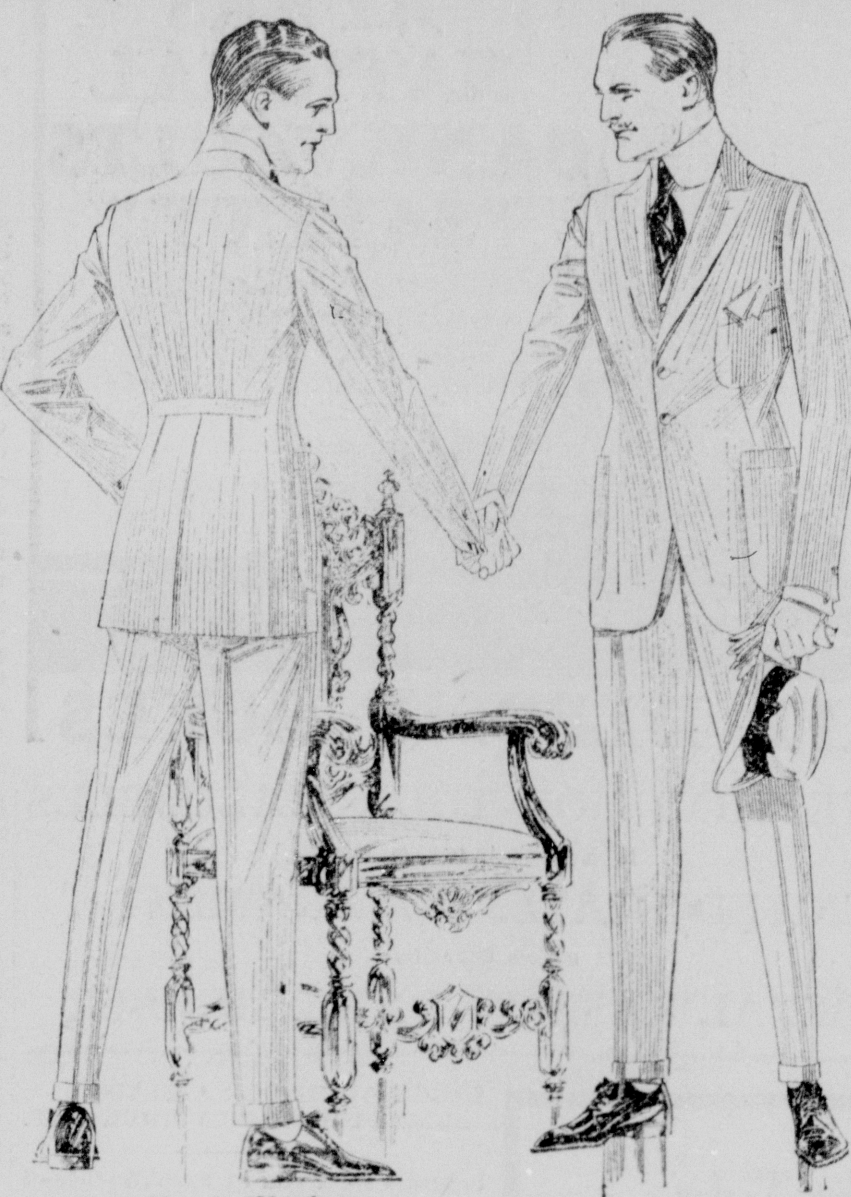
Appalonia—Meta Darley.
West Union—Alfred Dohrs.
Walnut Grove, E.—Katherine Hagan.
Alexander—Charles W. Andrews.
Prentice—Lela M. Ash.
Nortonville—J. Chester Colton.
Durbin—Dennis Whalen.
Hebron—Charles Ausmus.
Murrayville—J. H. Dial.
Woodson—Lulu Casteen.
Litterberry—Lloyd D. Caywood.
Lynnville—Nannie Campbell.
Meredosia—O. W. Gould.
Jacksonville, Maple Grove school—Burley Jones.

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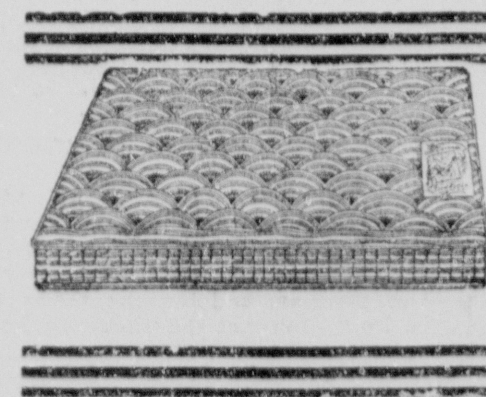
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